

HON. MR. DRAKE DIED YESTERDAY

WELL-KNOWN PIONEER OF CITY PASSED AWAY

Former Member of Supreme
Court Bench Had Long Been
Resident Here.

The death occurred yesterday morning at his home at Point Bluff of Hon. Montague William Tyrwhitt-Drake, who for years was a prominent member of the supreme court of this province, and who had reached the advanced age of 79 years. For the past four years he has lived retired, having left the bench in 1904 at the age of 75 years. The late Mr. Justice Drake was highly respected throughout the province.

Since quitting the bench he has taken no active part in business of any kind and during the past winter has shown marked indications of a decline in strength. The funeral will take place to-morrow from his late residence at 2:30 and at St. Saviour's church half an hour later.

Before being elevated to the bench he had served the province in various representative capacities, as mayor of the city of Victoria, a member of the board of education for the province and in the legislature and the governor of the province. In every capacity he brought a ripe judgment and his course was always actuated by the highest principles. His career on the bench was characterized by close application to the duties of his position. Possessing a judicial mind his judgments were always accepted as ripe and mature. For over fifteen years he occupied a place on the supreme court bench, retaining all his faculties to a marked degree up to the time of his retirement, although he had attained the age of 75 years.

The last important case which the late supreme court judge had to dispose of was the Hopper vs. Dunsmuir trial. This case was heard by him only a few months before his retirement. For weeks the trial went on without intermission. In spite of the fact that he was then a man of about 74 years of age never once did the late Mr. Justice Drake ask for any adjournment. On the contrary, he kept the trial progressing with more than usual expedition. His judgment handed down in that trial was sustained successively through the various appeals to the highest court of the realm, the privy council.

The deceased was descended from a very old English family, the Tyrwhitts of Sharncliffe, Bucks. He was born at Kings Walls, Hertfordshire, England, in 1830, and was educated at the Charter House school. He was admitted as a solicitor and attorney-at-law to the superior courts in England in 1851, and came to British Columbia in 1853, and settled in Victoria. He took an active part in public affairs shortly after his arrival, and was elected as a member of the Legislative Council of British Columbia as representative for Victoria in 1863, and sat in the house till 1870. He was a member of the board of education for British Columbia from 1872 to 1879.

In 1877 he was elected mayor of the city of Victoria, and at the general election of 1882 he was returned to the legislative assembly to represent Victoria. He was president of the executive council from January 26, 1883, to October, 1887.

Mr. Drake was called to the bar of British Columbia in 1877, was appointed a Q. C. on the 21st of September, 1883, and was elevated to the bench in 1889. He was a member of the British Columbia Law Society.

Mr. Drake died after five years ago. He is survived by a family of five: Brian H. T. registrar of the supreme court in this city; Mrs. A. M. Bridgman, Mrs. A. D. Cuase and Miss Drake, who lives in this city, and Mrs. Barnardiston, who resides in England.

GREAT ARMADA AGAIN IS APOTHEOSIZED

Thousands Line Californian Coast to Witness Triumphant Procession.

Los Angeles, April 20.—Los Angeles sent more than a hundred thousand of her residents to the ocean to welcome the American battleship fleet, which steamed into San Pedro harbor, 23 miles away, in the full radiance of a midsummer sun and dropped anchor at 3:30 p. m. on Saturday.

The sixteen fighting vessels and three auxiliaries left San Diego shortly after 6 o'clock this morning, and steamed up the hundred miles of surf-beaten coast in single column formation, four hundred yards apart and in full view of thousands of persons who gathered at every vantage point.

Thousands of people who made the occasion of the arrival a holiday and who lined the shore with banners and benches surrounding the bay, fairly went wild in their enthusiasm as the fleet steamed into its assigned position. Whistles blew in greeting, while cheer after cheer went up. On Saturday night the fleet was illuminated, hulls, superstructures, turrets and yardarms being outlined in electric bulbs.

LYNCHED FOR AWFUL CRIME.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 20.—A special to the Record from Atlanta, Tex., says: "Jasper Douglas a negro was charged in a warrant sworn on Saturday with having criminally assaulted his step-sister, a girl of 12 years old. Yesterday morning his body was found hanging to the limb of a tree near this place. The verdict of the coroners' jury was that Douglas came to his death at the hands of unknown persons."

KING LEAVES LONDON.

London, April 20.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra left London this morning for a visit to Copenhagen, Stockholm and Christiania where they will be the guests of the royal families at these capitals.

SUICIDES FROM STR. QUEEN CITY

(Special to the Times).

Nanaimo, April 20.—A passenger, supposed to be C. Best, jumped off the Queen City last night when she was two hours out from Vancouver on her trip to Nanaimo. He stood on the rail and plunged into the water. The steamer was stopped and lowered a boat, but after an hour's delay no trace of him could be found.

NO ITALIAN SQUADRON FOR TURKISH WATERS

Sultan Grants Postoffice Privileges After Threat of Naval Demonstration.

London, April 20.—A dispatch received here from Rome says orders have been issued countermarching the sending of an Italian squadron to Turkish waters for the purpose of coercing the Sultan into granting Italy certain postal privileges in Turkish territory. The Turkish ambassador to Rome, Monastapha Rechid, gave Foreign Minister Tilton the satisfactory assurance that Italy would be accorded the same treatment with regard to postal offices as that enjoyed by the other powers. The foreign minister expressed his satisfaction at this equivalent settlement, and thereupon countermarched the orders of the naval demonstrations.

BIG NEGRO CHASE.

Bristol, Tenn., April 20.—Poses are hunting a negro highwayman who held up and shot George H. Smith, a suburbanite, here on Saturday night. If captured he will be hanged. Smith was not even resisting. The bullets struck him in the breast and abdomen. Wrecking the revolver from his assailant, he fired at the latter as he fled, but missed. Smith is in a critical condition.

WAYS AND MEANS TO FIND NORTH POLE

International Congress Will Meet in Brussels Next Month.

Washington, D. C., April 20.—Herbert L. Bridgman, of Brooklyn, has been designated as the United States government delegate to participate in an international Polar Congress to be held next month in Brussels. The object of the congress is stated to be to unite the nations in planning and carrying out some practical scheme to reach the North Pole. It is regarded as likely that the meeting will result in the designation of a commission to further the desired end. Mr. Bridgman is understood to be bound by no restriction in his participation in the congress. Such results as are attained will undoubtedly be submitted to the governments participating for final approval.

ARCTIC BOUND ONCE MORE.

V. Steffanson Sets Out on a Journey of Exploration.

New York, April 20.—V. Steffanson, the naturalist, left on Saturday for the Arctic ocean to continue his investigations among the Eskimos. At Toronto he will meet Dr. R. M. Anderson, zoologist of the American Museum of Natural History, New York, and the two will go together. They are going under the auspices of the American Museum of Natural History. The two thousand mile journey down the Mackenzie will be made in an open boat, and no supplies will be carried beyond those necessary to take the party to the mouth of the river.

MONTANA BANKER GOES FREE.

Was Indicted on Charge of Fencing in Government Land.

Helena, Mont., April 20.—The jury in the John T. Murphy case on Saturday brought in a verdict of not guilty. Murphy, a Helena banker and one of the largest stockmen in the Northwest, was indicted on the charge of fencing 35,000 acres of government land. His trial was bitterly contested for two weeks.

RUSSIAN FORCE IS HEMMED IN

MENACED BY BIG BODY OF KURDISH BRIGANDS

Nomads Swarm Round Czar's
Troops—Reinforcements
Summoned.

Tiflis, April 20.—An alarming report has just been received here setting forth the critical situation of a small Russian expeditionary force to Persia, which is menaced by a vastly superior body of Persian brigands. The Russian troops penetrated the frontier in the neighborhood of Belesvan in pursuit of Kurdish brigands who had committed depredations in Russian territory. In following this course Russia is acting on the rights accorded her for the maintenance of order in Northern Persia by the recent Anglo-Russian agreement.

The Russian commander has sent out a messenger demanding reinforcements of infantry and cavalry. The Persians, who have been joined by warlike tribes of Nomads, surround the Russians. The sending in of Russian reinforcements is made particularly difficult by the flooded condition of the country. Yesterday the Russians had three men killed and ten wounded in various minor engagements with the Persians.

HACK'S NEXT MATCH.

New York, April 20.—Doubling the offer made by an English syndicate for a return match between Frank Gotch and George Hackenschmidt, Tom O'Rourke on Saturday offered the pair a purse of \$20,000 for a match in this city in June.

UNLIKELY THAT VESSEL IS LOST

FIVE SAILING SHIPS ARRIVE IN STRAITS

Wreckage on West Coast May Belong to Hartfield or Rosamond.

Beyond the discovery of a mahogany cabin door with a maple-wood ventilating panel and some empty whiskey cases marked "Mackay and White," no further wreckage had been discovered on the West Coast up to this afternoon. Patrols have been sent out from Port Renfrew and Carmanah to search the coast-line, but nothing tending to confirm the theory, held in some quarters, that a vessel has recently been lost, has yet been gleaned from the beaches and rocks in the vicinity of the place where the first quantity of wreckage was picked up on Thursday.

The arrival of five sailing vessels in the straits, including the wooden vessel, Alex. Gibson, this morning has retarded the probability of a recent disaster to a remote chance. Only one wooden vessel is now due in the straits, the W. F. Babcock, which is 80 days out from Sydney, Australia, with a cargo of coke and shipping men do not think it possible that she could have foundered or struck without her cargo of coke being scattered over the sea at the entrance to the strait.

The opinion voiced by a number of prominent shipping men in the Times on Saturday that the wreckage found has come from one of the many wrecks that are now succumbing to the sea on the Oregon coast has now become general and no anxiety is felt for the safety of any vessels on the way. While there is always a slight possibility of some wreck having taken place along the coast there are no indications that such a happening has occurred.

Speculation, both in Victoria and the Sound ports, has now turned on source from which the wreckage has been wrung by the spring gales.

The Seattle Times yesterday says: "Scouting the idea of a recent shipwreck off the west coast of Vancouver Island, local shipping men believe that the large amount of wreckage which washed ashore at Carmanah Point last night is from the British ship Hartfield, supposed to have been wrecked or sunk off the island a few months ago."

In a later edition the same paper says that some Seattle shipping men believe the wreckage to be from the schooner Rosamond, which is believed to have been lost off the west coast while on her way from Gray's harbor to Callao with a cargo of lumber.

The Merchants' Exchange at Seattle notified the head of the revenue cutter service, Capt. F. M. Munger, at Port Townsend, yesterday morning of the wreckage find, and it is possible that he may send a cutter to patrol the vicinity in search for further wreckage.

When the D. G. S. Quadra leaves for the west coast in a couple of days

time she will probably pick up some of the wreckage which has come ashore. The British barque Adenry, Capt. Berquist, arrived in the Royal roads last night from San Francisco and passed up to-day to load 1,000,000 feet of lumber at Chemainus for Sydney, N. S. W.

The Adenry was picked up off Flat-tory by the tug Tyne, which towed her up the straits and then handed her over to the local tug Lorne.

The French barque Marechal de Castries, Capt. Morel, which left Callao Buena on February 8th for the Royal roads, is reported towing the straits to-day.

The British barque Kildallon, Capt. Jones, which left Callao on February 15th for Port Townsend, was reported in the straits this morning.

The American ship Alex. Gibson, fifteen days out from San Francisco, is to load coal at Nanaimo for Alaska, passed in the morning.

The British ship Manx King, sixty-seven days from Taitai for Puget Sound, which must reach Seattle by Tuesday to save a valuable charter, passed in to-day.

Only one wooden vessel is now due, the W. F. Babcock, from Newcastle, N. S. W., which is 80 days out with cargo for Crofton. It is almost impossible that the Babcock could have been wrecked without her cargo being strewn about the entrance to the strait or being washed up.

CANNOT AGREE ON FISHERIES QUESTION

Dominion's Representative Un- able to Come to Terms With Bowser.

Nothing has come of the conference between the local government and S. T. Bastedo regarding control of the fisheries in this province. Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general, who was the province's representative in the negotiations, has given out a statement setting forth his side of the question. In this he says that he refused to discuss any arrangement unless the Dominion would agree to pay over the sum which he says is due to the province under the *modus vivendi* of 1901, under which the Dominion was to collect all revenue from the fisheries and pay the province its share after allowing a fair amount for the cost of administration. According to Mr. Bowser the province has not yet received a cent from this source. Mr. Bastedo, on behalf of the Ottawa government, offered to pay the cost of the Seta lake hatchery which the province established some years ago and has since operated.

Mr. Bowser announces that so far as the province is concerned the *modus vivendi* of 1901 is at an end and that the province is going to assert what he says, is, according to the judgment of the privy council, its rights in respect to the matter. The province is going to attempt to collect a license of \$2.50 from each man engaged in the fishing business that is the men who go out in the boats, or who are employed in any way in connection with nets or traps. This license will be good for all the year and in any part of the province. The Dominion government's license at the present time is \$11 per year and the authority to fish granted by it is good in only one district. The provincial government thus makes it to the financial benefit of those engaged in the business to support their demand for control of the fisheries. The regulations which the province proposes to put into effect will also conflict with the Dominion regulations in regard to fishing in the Fraser. The regulations regarding the hours of fishing below the New Westminster bridge will be the same but the province proposes to prohibit fishing above the bridge from 6 o'clock Saturday morning to 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

Whether the matter will be taken again is a question for the future. The province's position is thus put by Mr. Bowser in an official interview:

"The way the matter stands now, Mr. Bastedo, on his return to Ottawa, reports that each man engaged in the first things that must be done before conclusive negotiations can take place between us is to have the question of the amount due us for the past six years adjusted and paid, and until that is done our government does not feel that they can take any further steps toward settlement."

DETECTIVE KILLS MAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 20.—Patrick McKeown, 29 years old, of this city, a switchman for the Lehigh Valley, was shot and fatally injured in the William street yards of the Lehigh railway by Dan Reardon, a Lehigh detective. It is claimed that McKeown was on his way to a restaurant for his lunch when Reardon fired at him. Immediately after the shooting Reardon made a statement in which he said he discovered McKeown and two other men plying a car.

SNOWSTORM IN NEW YORK.

Interlake, N. Y., April 20.—Three inches of snow fell here early to-day in a heavy storm which was accompanied by a drop in temperature to 20 degrees. The snowstorm followed a heavy rain which continued throughout Easter Sunday.

SAYS HE IS INNOCENT.

Sacramento, April 20.—Antonio Cipolla, convicted of the murder of Joe Pierno, was on Saturday sentenced to Judge Hughes to hang at Folsom. Cipolla declared his innocence. Pierno was horribly slashed by three of his countrymen, and thrown into the river.

PART OF IDEALS IN PUBLIC SERVICE

J. A. MACDONALD SPEAKS ON YOUNG MEN'S PERIL

Study of Physical Science Re-
quires Carefully Tempered
Mind.

Chicago, Ill., April 20.—Those Christians who are not strongly fortified against the insidious workings of the study of science and philosophy yesterday by J. A. MacDonald, managing editor of the Toronto Globe. Mr. MacDonald was speaking before a mass meeting of young men at the Young Men's Christian Association.

"Your traditional believers would do well to give science and philosophy a wide berth unless they are well fortified by faith," he said. "There has grown up in our day a subtlety of philosophic discussion and a tendency to emphasize the finality of the physical science that constitutes a very real peril for the young man who is not well grounded in these abstruse subjects. It will not do to give them a superficial hearing. The mind to come through the fire untouched must have been carefully tempered first for such an ordeal. Let the rest avoid this perilous field of controversy."

Mr. MacDonald was talking on the general topic of some ideals of service: "The idea of true public service is only just beginning to make its way," he said. "The rich man, the man of intellectual culture, is still too prone to measure his power by the things which he can take, rather than by the gifts he can give. This is a false virtuous idea, and must be supplanted by the Christ-like doctrine of public service."

WINSTON'S FIGHT IN MANCHESTER

FIERCE ENERGY SHOWN BY YOUTHFUL MINISTER

By-Elections Will Prove if Lib- eral Rule is on the Wane.

London, April 20.—The recent reconstruction of the cabinet, which came about on the retirement of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, and the assumption of the office of premier by Herbert H. Asquith, has plunged the country into a miniature election. Not less than seven by-elections have been made necessary to fill the vacancies created by the cabinet changes. Four of these will be decided during the present week.

By far the most interesting will be held to return a member from the northwest division of Manchester, where the fate of Winston Churchill, who is seeking re-election on his elevation to the presidency of the board of trade, will be a surer index of the country's estimate of the past two years of radical rule than are the verdicts of the smaller constituencies which recently have gone against the government.

This contest will be fought hard, and the political fighters in both the dominant parties are preparing for the fray. Mr. Churchill will again be opposed by W. Johnson Hicks, who contested this seat in the Unionist interest at the last general election. There is also a Socialist candidate in the field, but he does not cut much of a figure.

Mr. Churchill is showing his customary dash and energy in as fiercely a waged contest as has been seen in this country in years. After a Good Friday truce, he has addressed not less than half a dozen meetings to-day, four of which were in the open air, in different parts of the constituency. Mr. Churchill's mother, Mrs. Cornwallis-West, is repeating her tactics of the previous election. She accompanies her son to the platform, and is untiring in her work among the doubtful groups of electors.

The women suffragists are proving a thorn in the side of Mr. Churchill. Although he has declared himself in favor of women suffrage, women are overrunning the constituency in favor of the Unionist candidate, declaring that the recent attitude of the members of the cabinet and of parliament proves that the government has no intention of forcing the cause of women to the front.

In the hardly anticipated eventuality of an adverse result, some complacent radical holding a "safe" seat will be given political inducement to resign in favor of Mr. Churchill. Consequently, beyond the loss of prestige to himself, and the government he represents, Mr. Churchill's position in the cabinet will not be affected.

SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE.

Cumberland, Md., April 20.—The street railway strike inaugurated on Saturday morning upon the refusal of the company to reinstate two of the men discharged on account of gambling in the company's car barn, was amicably settled last night. The company agreed to reinstate the men upon the condition that there would not be a repetition of the abuse complained of and that there would be hereafter a strict enforcement of the rules of the company against drinking, gambling, etc.

It was agreed that if there should be hereafter any disagreement on the part of either the company or the men the company will settle with a committee of railway men.

WRECKED TRAIN BURNING DEBRIS

(Special to the Times).

Summit, Montana, April 20.—The Great Northern Oriental Limited from Seattle was wrecked and burned here this morning. Only two cars escaped. It is believed that no one was killed.

WARNING NOTE FROM PRINCE RUPERT

Neither Work Nor Accommoda- tion for Newcomers Until Next June.

Vancouver, April 18.—G. A. McNichol, purchasing agent for the Grand Trunk Pacific in Vancouver, has received a telegram from J. H. Bacon, harbor engineer at Prince Rupert, stating in the most positive terms that men seeking employment should keep away from Prince Rupert until June 1st.

Mr. Bacon says that at present there are more than one thousand men unemployed, and there is neither work for them in the immediate future nor accommodations.

The contractors are getting things in shape, but will not be ready to take care of any more men until June 1st. Harbor Engineer Bacon has issued instructions that no more permits will be given to erect tents or houses at Prince Rupert, and the owners of the Grand Trunk Pacific and Cariboo mining claims have for three weeks refused all applications for permission to erect tents on these claims. This action is taken because there can be no work at Prince Rupert for mechanics or clerks until the lots in the townsite are sold. There is no chance for any person to get a business location, so business men should not come here expecting to get locations.

"JOHN D." INCREASES BODYGUARD OF 'TECS

Six Now Accompany Millionaire and His Grand-Children to Church.

New York, April 20.—The Herald says: "In place of the one man who did little service on Sunday of last week six private detectives acted as a bodyguard for John D. Rockefeller yesterday when he walked with his two grand-children, Fowler and Muriel McCormick, from his home to the Fifth Avenue Baptist church. The guard was maintained on the return home from church, the detectives walking a short distance behind Mr. Rockefeller and the children who were in the charge of a nurse."

"In view of these extra precautions it was thought that the Black Hand threats against the children recently received by Mrs. Harold McCormick, their mother, together with demands for money, had been renewed."

LINEVITCH IS VERY ILL.

Little Hope For Recovery of Former Russian Commander in Manchuria.

St. Petersburg, April 20.—The condition of Lieut.-General Linevitch, aide camp to Emperor Nicholas and former commander-in-chief of the Russian army in Manchuria, who is ill with pneumonia, is now critical and his physicians have little hope for his recovery although the aged general has made a hard fight in virtue of his vigorous constitution.

SUING FOR REWARD.

Detectives Want Damages From Sheriff Owing to Escape of Train Robbers.

Spokane, April 20.—A novel suit for \$12,000 from Sheriff Shoemaker, of Helena, Mont., has been started by Detectives McPhee, MacDonald and Briley, of Spokane. These detectives captured Ed. Frankhauser and Charles McDonald, who held up the Oriental Limited train at Rondo, Mont., last September, securing \$40,000. The robbers escaped from the Helena jail a few weeks ago, and the detectives hold that Sheriff Shoemaker, having thus caused them to lose the reward offered, should pay it himself, and are suing him and his bondsmen.

BUSY SESSION FOR COUNCIL

MANY MATTERS TO COME UP TO-MORROW

Council Will Be Asked to Re-
consider Action Regarding
Boulevards.

The city council will likely have a large variety of matters to deal with at its meeting to-morrow evening. One subject that is likely to be discussed at some length is a recommendation from Mayor Hall that the council reconsider the resolution passed at its last meeting refusing to proceed with boulevard work recommended by the parks board. In all work to the extent of \$1,000.00 was turned down, the city's share of which amounted to \$2,896.71. The majority of the council took the stand that this money could be better spent than on boulevard work. Included in the parks board's recommendations were seven streets, although the bulk of the work was to have been done on Cook and Yates streets. The total cost of the work on these two streets was placed at \$3,663.90, of which \$4,900.55 was for the former and \$2,754.42, the city's share being respectively \$1,251.57 and \$1,638.98, or a total of \$2,890.55. The total estimated cost of the other five streets included in the parks board's recommendations was, therefore, only \$2,425.37, of which the city's share would be \$908.62. The five streets which this amount would provide with a boulevard are as follows: North side of Garbally road, from Douglas street to Gorge road; both sides of Dunedin street, between Douglas street and Gorge road; on both sides of Ormond street, between Yates street and Fort street; on both sides of Lincolnton street, between Rockland avenue and Fort street; both sides of Mears street, between Vancouver street and the park. The boulevards on these streets have already been constructed. The work that remains to be done is only the seeding down and the planting of trees and the laying of the necessary water pipes.

The work it was proposed to do on Cook streets included the construction, seeding down and planting with trees of boulevards, as well as the laying of water pipes from Pandora street to Fairfield road. On Yates street it was proposed to construct a boulevard along both sides of the street from Fort street to Cook street. In this case the work included the making of the boulevard, seeding it down, planting it with trees and laying curb and gutter as well as water pipes.

The council will not ask that the council reconsider its action relating to Yates and Cook streets, but only so far as it affects the other five, the cost of the work on which will be very small. The boulevard has already been constructed on these five streets, and the mayor feels that it would be a mistake not to go ahead and finish them up. Otherwise they will stand as a reproach to the city and the work will cost much more when it is undertaken.

Other matters which will come up will be the four money by-laws which were endorsed by the people on Thursday, and which must now be finally passed by the council. The estimates may also be put through their final stage, and other by-laws that have been held back for some time may also be dealt with. These include Aid. Mable's for the appointment of a public prosecutor, Aid. Gleason's for the charging of fees to patients sent to the isolation hospital, and for the inspection of foodstuffs. Aid. Cameron may also introduce a by-law amending the Municipal Officers' Duties By-laws. The appointment of a superintendent of streets and sidewalks construction will also likely come up on report from the street-bridges and sewers committee which will meet an hour before the council to pass on the matter, and also to take up other business. Aid. Henderson will submit a resolution providing for the grading, macadamizing and draining of Ladysmith street. There will also be a number of minor matters to be considered.

COMMITTED UNDER CLOAK OF RELIGION

Assumption of Sacrilegious Ti- tles by Prussian Sect to Be Investigated.

St. Petersburg, April 20.—The authorities of St. Petersburg finally have decided upon the prosecution of the leaders of the notorious "Johannite Sect" whose practices have brought the name of Father John, of Kronstadt into evil repute in the eyes of all Russians except the lowest classes. Dozens of men and women who surround the supposed saint have assumed such sacrilegious titles as the Holy Ghost, the Virgin, Archangel Michael, Mary Magdalene, John the Baptist, and the designations of other apostles and they are to be thoroughly investigated. The prosecutor has accused material grounds upon which to bring charges, not only with the prosecution for blasphemy and secret and illegal practice under the laws of religion but for forgery, blackmail, robbery, malversation, pandering and a number of other crimes all committed under the cover of religion.

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REMINISCENCES OF HIS CAREER**TOMMY BURNS TELLS STORY OF HIS LIFE**

The Canadian Champion Heavyweight Boxer Describes His Methods.

Curiously enough although I have contested over fifty events in the ring, when I first commenced to indulge in the gentle art of boxing I did so purely as an amateur, never dreaming in fact that I should ever become a professional, says Tommy Burns, the Canadian Champion in the London Tatler. Moreover, it is quite possible that I should have remained an amateur for ever had not I chanced to accompany some members of the Detroit Athletic Club to witness a bout between two boxers named Thornton and Caine. Unfortunately, at the last moment Caine was taken ill, so the match fell through, whereupon a friend of mine sitting with me by the ring side laughingly asked me why I did not take Caine's place and in a few minutes the fellow members of my club were literally bombarding me to take the ring.

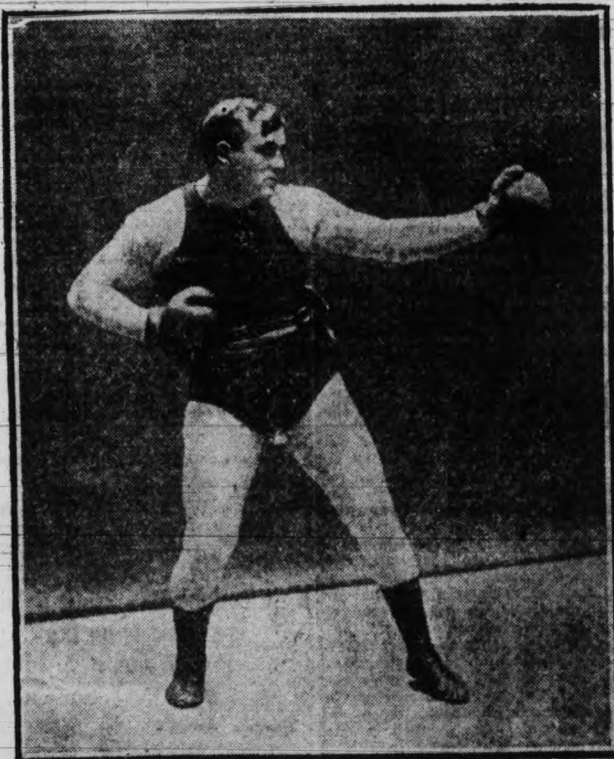
However, I refused to be "drawn" in this way, and even when the manager earnestly asked me to try my luck I still held out until someone happened to let slip the remark that I was afraid to put on the gloves with Thornton. That taunt caused me to change my mind at once, and as soon as an old pair of India-rubber shoes had been found for me I stripped and went in to

knocking about, but this in no way dampened my enthusiasm, for I realised that if I was ever to do any good at the sport I must be prepared to take as well as to give hard blows. By the way, one of the stiffest contests that has ever come in my direction was with Ben O'Grady at the Detroit Athletic Club. O'Grady was a very hard nut to crack, and in order to frighten me when he went into the ring he said to his seconds audibly that I could hear "Shall I kill him?" "Which round shall I finish this little affair in?" and so on and so forth, while when I faced him in the middle of the ring he said to me, "Well, you're here, are you?" I answered, "I'm here." "Well," he said tersely, "you won't be here in a little while."

But as it happened on that occasion O'Grady was wrong. I was there in a little while—but he wasn't. In the third round I won the match and O'Grady was taken to the hospital, where four days later he recovered consciousness. I went to see him in the hospital every day, but naturally he did not know me. A couple of years later, however, I paid a visit to Buffalo, where my late opponent had opened a gymnasium; I at once looked in to see him, and he shook hands with me in the heartiest manner possible. In boxing—the good sportsman who loses should never bear a grudge against the winner, because—well, the next best thing to winning is losing, isn't it?

When I return to the States I expect my next big contest will be with Johnson, and if this match comes off it will be about the biggest that has ever taken place in the history of boxing, for an offer of \$5,000 has been made to us, and I understand that on the other side of the water the sport world is already anxiously discussing our respective chances of success. Still, there are one or two other things to be decided before we take the ring.

I succeeded in beating Squire in the first round in 2 minutes 30 seconds, and on that account I have since heard that many people have put Squire down as merely "a moderate performer." In justice to my late opponent I



TOMMY BURNS, THE CANADIAN CHAMPION.

have ring at him, and after five pretty stiff rounds succeeded in winning the match.

Of course I was real pleased at my success, but I did not realize what it meant until I heard on my return home that I could no longer box as an amateur as I happened to have accepted a few dollars from the management to pay my expenses, and therefore I found to my surprise that if I wanted to box in future I should have to do so as a professional. Well, I did want to box, and that's how I entered the profession.

During my apprenticeship to boxing, so to speak, I had some very severe

should like to say that this estimate of his ability is quite a false one, for as soon as we met he showed me that he was a very fine boxer indeed, and he kept me on the stretch all the way. At that match there were over 6,000 people present, and in America the gates as well as the prize money are invariably much larger than in the case over here. But the English public are such real sportsmen to the backbone and always treat visitors to their shores with such scrupulous fairness and courtesy that after one has been in this country for a few days one no longer feels "a stranger in the land." And, believe me, it is very pleasant to be made to feel at home.

As regards my method of training I have always believed in every athlete following out that particular programme which happens to suit him. Thus, in my own case when I am in strict training I walk out four or five miles as the case may be and do some running on the return journey. Maybe for a quarter of a mile I walk, then I sprint for about a hundred yards, then walk for another quarter of a mile, and afterwards sprint again. On my arrival home I am well rubbed down and afterwards I indulge in a cold-water shower followed by a course of thorough massaging, to which I am very partial.

At 12.30 I have dinner and afterwards rest until 3 o'clock or thereabouts. When I go to the gymnasium for my afternoon's work, having stripped—that is to say, taken off my dressing gown—I punch the ball for ten minutes or a quarter of an hour. Then I skip for about the same time and also do a few minutes "shadow boxing," in which I imagine I am having a bout with an opponent and behave much as I should do in an actual match, never omitting to put in plenty of foot work. I also take a lot of stomach exercise, lying on my back and slowly raising my legs to strengthen the stomach muscles, an item in a boxer's training which is of the greatest importance.

My afternoon's work ended I take a tub and am massaged once more. Then I lie myself home and rest until 6.30, when I have supper. About 9 I take another walk—this time a very short one of about a mile or so—and at 10 o'clock I turn in for the night feeling pretty well tired out after my day's exertions; in fact, scarcely does my head touch the pillow than I am asleep. I may add that it is my ambition to retire from the ring undefeated as did Jeffries, and I also frankly confess that if I could earn as large an income in any other business as I do by boxing I should probably retire very shortly.

But I do not think I could; leastways, how to do so has not struck me yet—so I remain a boxer.

TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF LATE MRS. GOWARD**Large Number Attend Funeral Cortege to Ross Bay To-day.**

The funeral of the late Mrs. A. T. Goward took place this morning, with Rev. Archdeacon Scriven, assisted by Rev. Canon Beaulieu, officiating. Shortly before noon the funeral cortege left the family residence at Oak Bay and wended its way to Christ Church cathedral, where the beautiful funeral service of the Anglican church was read. There were a large number of the sorrowing friends of the deceased lady present, and all of the employees of the B. C. Electric Railway Company who were able to leave their duties attended in a body, as a mark of respect to the wife of the manager of the company. The attendance of the men was quite spontaneous, and was decided upon at a meeting of the executive of the Union.

The Easter decorations of the church, emblematic of the risen Saviour, were still in place, and in the sacred edifice the bowed heads of the mourners told of the esteem in which the late Mrs. Goward was held in the community. Flowers of exceeding beauty and in great profusion bedecked the coffin and the hearse. The surpliced choir was in attendance, Mr. Goward being a member, and rendered appropriate music. Psalm 38 was chanted, and the hymn "Abide With Me" and "On the Resurrection Morning" were sung.

After the service the employees of the company assembled outside the church and marched before the hearse for a short distance, it being then necessary for them to return to their duties. At the grave the services were conducted by Rev. Canon Beaulieu. The pallbearers were: Judge Lampan, W. H. Langley, C. W. Rhodes, George Phillips, F. H. Russell and T. S. Gore.

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—Frank Jones, for the past three years a member of the local police force, has resigned and will leave in a short time for Prince Rupert where he has been appointed a provincial police constable. For the past eight years Constable Jones has been a member of No. 8 company, Fifth regiment, of which he was treasurer.

—There will be a large attendance of the Victoria teaching staff at the annual convention of the Teachers' Institute, which meets in Vancouver this week. In reply to the circular letter sent out by the secretary of the school board last week very few teachers replied expressing their intention of staying home.

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DIED.

TYRWHITT-DRAKE—On Easter Sunday, at Point, B.C., Montague William Tyrwhitt-Drake, son of the late Rev. George Tyrwhitt-Drake, rector of Malpas, Cheshire, and lately a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in his 79th year.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, the 21st instant, at 2.30 p. m., from the residence, and at 3 p. m. from St. Saviour's, Victoria West.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

A meeting of the citizens of Victoria will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, 22nd INST., to discuss arrangements for the CELEBRATION OF VICTORIA DAY, MAY 25, in this city.

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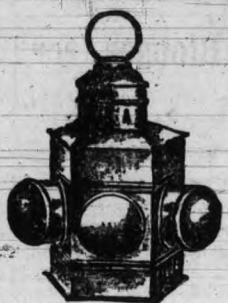
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BE AGAIN VISITED

Committee of Council Visits
Scene of Trouble and
Gives Orders.

The notice placed on a tree opposite
Fred W. Jones' property on Rockland
avenue warning the city or any one
else against interfering with the tree
has been taken down by the police, fol-
lowing a visit to the scene of the trou-
ble by a committee of the city council
Saturday afternoon. The removal of a
number of other trees was ordered by
the committee. On his return to the
city Mayor Hall, who was one of the
committee, gave Chief Langley orders
to have the Jones' notice taken down
and a constable was sent out to carry
out these instructions, and did so.

The committee, which consisted of
Mayor Hall, and Ald. Esau, Hender-
son, Gleason and McKeown, met some
of the property owners and matters
were discussed informally. A heated
argument took place between Mayor
Hall and Mr. Jones over the latter's
claim that the tree in front of his prop-
erty belonged to him, and also over
the notice which Mr. Jones admitted
that he had put up, saying he would
protect his right in the matter with
firearms, if necessary.

It was decided that several additional
trees should be destroyed, while in the
case of some others, including the one
Mr. Jones claims as his, no decision
has yet been reached. The matter will
be decided at the meeting of the streets,
bridges and sewers committee to-mor-
row evening. While on the scene the
members of the committee looked into
the character of the roadway being put
down, which it was generally agreed
was quite satisfactory.

TRAP SHOOT BY

THE VICTORIA CLUB

Frank Stevenson Won Weiler
Cup Event After Tying With
Patton.

The Victoria Gun Club held one of
their regular shoots at their club
grounds at Langford Plains yesterday.
The weather was not very good for the
sport, a heavy shower coming on in the
afternoon and making the light bad.
In spite of this there were several very
good scores.

The chief event was the fifth shoot
for the Weiler cup, and it was won af-
ter an exciting contest by Frank
Stevenson, of the Capital Club. R. L.
Patton, of the Victoria Club, tied with
Frank, both scoring 23 out of 40, and
then out of the next 20 birds Steven-
son got 14, Patton getting only 11. This
is the first time the cup has been won
by Stevenson. Next time he competes
he will have to shoot from the eighteen
yard mark, a two-yard handicap being
affixed at each win. Otto Weiler, who
has won the event twice, was shooting
from the 20-yard mark, making a score
of 23 out of the 40.

There was a good deal of pool shoot-
ing and team work which occupied the
rest of the day.

ANNUAL VICTORIA

DAY CELEBRATION

Meeting to Arrange Details
Will Be Held on Wednes-
day Evening.

Mayor Hall has called a public meet-
ing for Wednesday evening to arrange
for the annual Victoria day celebration,
which this year, if it is to be celebrated
as in former years, will take place on
Monday, May 25th, the 24th falling on
Sunday, May 24th, the late Queen's
birthday, and now known as Victoria
day, has been for a long time one of
the big days of the year in this city,
and Wednesday night's meeting will
decide what is to be done this year.

The first matter to be decided is whe-
ther the usual celebration is to take
place this year, but about this there
appears to be no question. The ques-
tion of holding the celebration being
decided committees will be appointed,
and every means possible taken to
make it the most successful event of
its kind in the history of the city. A
larger programme of sports, etc., will
be provided than ever before.

In connection with this year's cele-
bration it has been suggested that it
might be possible to arrange a visit
from at least some of, if not all, the
American fleet on that day. The fleet
has been invited by the provincial
government to visit both Victoria and
Vancouver, and as it will be in these
waters at that time, it is thought that
it would be exceedingly becoming if
the American authorities could see
their way clear to allow their vessels
to participate in the festivities of a day
so dear to the people of this country.

The fleet will leave San Francisco
May 15th, and, on arriving at Puget
Sound, May 21st, four ships will visit
Port Angeles, eight will visit Belling-
ham bay and three will go to Port
Townsend. One ship will proceed at
once to Bremerton to be docked.

On Saturday, May 23rd, all the ships
of the fleet, with the exception of the
one in dock at Bremerton, will proceed
to Seattle. On Tuesday, May 28th, 12
ships will go to Tacoma. Thence, with-
out anchoring, eight ships will sail for
San Francisco, leaving four ships at
anchor near Tacoma for a visit of three
days, when those vessels will go to
Bremerton for docking.

Everyone interested in this celebra-
tion is cordially invited to attend Wed-
nesday evening's meeting.

**Y. W. C. A. HAS TAKEN
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The Young Women's Christian Asso-
ciation of this city has at last secured
permanent quarters in a suitable house
in which they will be able to extend the
scope of their work. The new place is
situated at 941 Pandora avenue, and it
is now being prepared for the new
purpose for which it is designed.

For a long time the association has
felt the need of a house where they
could put up transient passers and
also take a few permanent boarders.
An effort has been made to obtain a
suitable house in the business section
of the city, but without avail. The pres-
ent quarters will not be as central as
could have been wished, but they will
have the advantage of being on the
direct car line from the C. P. R. wharf.

The extension of the work of the in-
stitution will mean the doubling of the
expenses, but it is expected that the
women of this city will rise to the oc-
casion and see that the association does
not lack the necessary funds with
which to carry on the good work. The
new home will be opened the first of
next month.

ZOLA'S LAST RESTING PLACE.

Transference of Remains to the Pan-
theon Postponed Until June.

The question whether the remains of
Zola should or should not be placed by
the side of the nation's illustrious dead
in the Pantheon is still agitating Paris.
The government decided in the affirma-
tive, and fixed April 2 for the trans-
ference of his body thither. At the mo-
ment when everything connected with
the ceremony had been arranged, the
Duc de Montebello, descendant of the
famous Marshal Lannes, announced
that if Zola was to be honored with
a resting-place in the Pantheon he
would remove the remains of the great
soldier elsewhere.

Now the government has refused per-
mission to the duke to act as he threat-
ened, but at the same time is has
postponed the Zola ceremony until
June 4, on the ground, chiefly, that the
senate has not yet ratified the neces-
sary credit voted by the chamber.

The opposition papers make a good
deal of political capital out of the in-
cident, and ascribe the government's
sudden change of plans to the fear of
a great hostile demonstration.

P. D. Callaghan, F. L. Miller, J. T.
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A JUST JUDGE.

Departing "as if overcome by sleep," the honorable and useful career of Hon. M. W. T. Drake came to an end yesterday morning. Of all the pioneers of British Columbia none was more highly thought of, and none more deserving of esteem, than the departed statesman, jurist, educationist and councillor. He served his adopted province and the city in which for close upon half a century he lived with deepest fidelity, sternly putting aside all other considerations than those he believed, according to the signs of the times, to be in the public interests. As mayor of the city in the early days of the municipality, as a member of the Legislative Council of the province anterior to confederation, as a member of the Board of Education of the colony, as a member of the Legislature of the province and as a member of the government, Mr. Drake gained a reputation for thoroughness and strict devotion to duty which was creditable to himself and ought to prove an inspiration to this and succeeding generations. As a Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, as was perhaps naturally to be expected of one of sturdy old English stock, Hon. M. W. T. Drake upheld the honorable traditions of the British Bench. As the Times has good reason to remember, Judges of the old school such as Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, had little sympathy with the views and aspirations of Liberals of the new school, a very negligible quantity in the early days of the province. As a colleague of Sir Matthew, it is not at all improbable that Hon. Mr. Justice Drake was influenced in his views in his rulings and in his judgments by the strong personality of the rugged former Chief Justice. But however much inclined the people of former times were to criticise the conduct of the Bench in those times, there is now no difference of opinion as to the salutary effect of its stern, unyielding and inflexible administration of the law. While ruffianism and lawlessness ruled in all the adjoining regions and territories, while on the other side of the border the man with the ready gun and the least scrupulous regard for human life wielded the greatest influence, in British Columbia the conditions were just the reverse. Human life was just as sacred as in the centres of civilization and respect for property rights was enforced with strictest impartiality. The Judges of those days performed their duties in accordance with the special circumstances of the times, and they are worthy of all honor because of the quality of adaptiveness they displayed. The end of the career of such a man, one whose life was literally "full of years and honors," need not be referred to in commonplace and conventional phrases. Death was not unexpected. It came about as the leaves fall in autumn. It will be sincerely mourned, not only by the immediate relatives and friends, but by all who remember the splendid services he performed for his chosen home, for the province and for Canada at large.

TAXATION AND FISHERIES.

Attorney-General Bowser does not favor the idea of the Dominion government being given full control of the fisheries of the province. He prefers to keep the question open in order that he may pose as a champion of provincial rights. In fact, he is so keen for a fight that he must rush into print and give a distorted review of the case long before his views and the views of the representative of the federal government have been laid before that government. The fisheries of the

province cost the federal government last year in the neighborhood of a quarter of a million dollars. The fishery expenditures were about that much larger than the receipts from all sources. The Attorney-General knows perfectly well that the province could not maintain the services necessary for the protection, conservation and promotion of the fisheries. The government of which he is a member, notwithstanding the fact that the province is the most opulent in natural resources of all the provinces of the Dominion, and actually collects a greater revenue than any of the provinces with the possible exception of two, resorts to expedients for the purpose of swelling its revenues which would not be tolerated in any of the other provinces of Canada. It collects from every man in the province, in some instances before he has been more than a week within our borders, five dollars in direct taxes. Nor is it satisfied with the tribute thus levied. It says to collect an income tax from weekly wage earners, basing its estimate of the earnings for the year upon the wages received for the services of a single week. And that it calls paying the "incidence of taxation equally upon all classes." In the meantime consider the rate at which the natural resources of the province, which it properly and honestly administered would provide sufficient revenue for all purposes and for all time, are passing into the hands of mere speculators. Is it any wonder that there is a general alarm because of the ambitions of this Mr. Bowser? The people interested in the fishing industries do not want provincial control. They know too well how ruinous such control would prove. The people in general do not desire provincial control, because already they are being "bled white," as an eminent Eastern Tory puts it, by Finance Minister Tait's system of taxation, and they are doubting respecting the possible consequences of the province undertaking to construct and operate the steamers and appliances necessary for the adequate protection of the fisheries.

VAPORINGS OF A DISCHARGED EMPLOYEE.

One Major Hodgins, formerly employed upon the government section of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, is now engaged in the, not altogether unexpected, occupation of criticising the manner in which that work is being carried on. Doubtless the commissioners responsible for the thoroughness of the job as well as for the cost thereof, anticipated just such criticism when they dispensed with the services of Major Hodgins. The fact that the Major is a discharged employee of the government ought to have some effect in turning the edge of his criticisms. The sapient critic, in introducing the subject of his criticisms, mentioned incidentally that he came of an old Liberal family in the East. The inference to be drawn is obvious—that is, it is obvious from the Major's point of view. Friends of the government might retort, however, that the commissioners are entitled to credit for their courage in relieving the country of the cost of the services of a servant who was palpably deficient in qualifications even if his forbears had been Liberals to the time of Adam. Is it not one of the complaints against the present government that the people in the service of the country are not well qualified for the discharge of their duties, albeit most of the incompetents were appointed by previous governments? But the Major's only complaint against the Grand Trunk Commissioners is met already by the fact that the Grand Trunk Railway Company is just as deeply interested as the government, in fact more deeply interested than the government, in seeing to it that the line is constructed as cheaply as possible. That company will operate the road when it is completed and pay the interest on the cost of construction. The higher the cost the heavier the interest charges. Does Major Hodgins seriously intend to ask the people of Canada to believe that the engineers of the Grand Trunk Railway would wink at the perpetration of any such jobs as he suggests—transactions which would increase the cost of construction by some millions of dollars and impair the earning capacity of the line to a corresponding extent? The idea is preposterous. But if Major Hodgins' charges are taken seriously, instead of being treated with contempt as the irresponsible utterances of a discharged employee, it is possible that the Grand Trunk inspectors, who have been charged with criminal conspiracy to defraud, may take action with a view to their own vindication.

A full bench of the Nova Scotia Supreme Court decides that the directors of the defunct bank of Yarmouth must repay the last dividend and the losses in the Reddings account since August 19, 1904, together with interest thereon at 5 per cent. per annum. The special charges of malfeasance against the directors were: (1) The payment of dividends when no profits were earned, and which they knew impaired the capital, and knowingly, wilfully and contrary to the statute, conspiring in the payment of dividends impairing the capital. (2) Purchasing and holding real estate in contravention of the Banking Act. (3) Purchasing as directors bills drawn by Reddings, an insolvent firm, upon persons having no existence, and using the bank funds to pay therefor, discounting notes of that firm which were worthless, and

making large advances to such firm without security or upon securities the defendants knew were worthless; permitting that firm to overdraw its account largely; and finally, failing to exercise supervision over the business or affairs of the bank, and that in the particular mentioned the defendants were guilty of gross negligence.

Liberals claim to have placed more than nineteen hundred names of new voters on the Vancouver lists. Mr. C. E. Tisdall, President of the Conservative Association, says only about four hundred additional names have been added by Liberals. The question is, what has become of the fifteen hundred? There seems to be a real necessity for taking the lists out of the hands of Mr. Bowser's friends, and placing them under the control of non-partisans. When that is done, perhaps the missing fifteen hundred will turn up again. Also it may be that if clean lists are prepared Sir Hibbert Tupper and the supporters of Premier McBride will give over fighting for a nomination.

A London letter states that good reports of Canada's agricultural, mining and commercial resources are brought back by Sir Edward Vincent, who is another who believes that the Dominion will yet rival the United States in prosperity. Mr. Keir Hardie admits the grandeur of Canadian resources, and adds that Canadians have been attempting to develop these too quickly. His advice to skilled workmen thinking of making Canada their home, is a concise "Don't." He recommends to them New Zealand.

An exchange says: "Colonel Hughes the other day said he would rather have as a Canadian citizen a Hindu who had served his King than a galvanized Yankee. Wherein the honorable member exhibits peculiar taste. It is largely by the pioneering spirit, born in British backbone, and the galvanic hustle characteristic of the United States, that the Dominion can now point a proud finger."

The large number of appeals in our courts has led some one, perhaps an Irishman, to inquire if it would not be better to bring on cases in the final court first.

What Canada thought was financial trouble a few months ago turns out to have been merely growing pains.

NANAIMO HAS BITTER

PILL TO SWALLOW

Defeat of Soccer Team by
Ladysmith Attributed to
Hard Luck.

(Special Correspondence).
Nanaimo, April 19.—There was bitter disappointment here yesterday when it was learned that the Nanaimo United Association football team had been defeated at Vancouver by their old rivals, Ladysmith, in the first round of the People's Shield competition. Particularly keen was the feeling of disappointment when, on the return of the team, it was learned that the defeat was nothing else but hard luck. Nanaimoites are convinced that they have the better team, and point to the last few matches as evidence of that fact. The defeat at Vancouver yesterday is easily accounted for. The team has had the last two hard matches with Ladysmith in addition to two severe exhibition matches. All these have occurred in a space of two weeks, and in these matches the team has become badly crippled up. In fact, there were at least three men on the team who should not have been playing at all. It was only their pure grit that kept them in the game. They were playing football on Saturday when others, if they had been in the same condition, would not have cared if they ever saw a football again or not. However, now that Ladysmith has defeated Nanaimo in the competition, there will be no hard feelings and the whole town is back of Ladysmith hoping that they will win the Shield.

At the same time, Nanaimo is satisfied that her team can defeat Ladysmith when in good shape, and to back that opinion there is anything from a thousand to five thousand dollars in the city that can be secured to wager on the result. In fact, that is the whole talk in the city to-day. Let Nanaimo meet Ladysmith again when the team is in shape, and Nanaimo has five thousand dollars to put up on the match. In view of the feeling it will not be at all surprising to see the two teams come together again in the near future. At any rate the teams are scheduled to meet next month at Nanaimo at the Victoria Day celebration here.

The drawing took place on Saturday night at T. Gough's cigar store, Douglas street, for the handsome fret work cathedral clock. The number of the winning ticket was 24, and the lucky owner was Mr. Berwick.

Next Wednesday will be "Guest Day" at the Alexandra Club, the last guest day of the present season. Members are reminded of this, and asked to attend themselves, to invite visitors and to do all possible to make the final event a success.

This evening the Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will give a musical evening. A good programme has been prepared and an enjoyable evening is expected. A week from this evening the society will hold a joint debate with the First Presbyterian church in the First church. The subject will be "Woman Suffrage." A. P. Hughes and J. P. Clairhue will represent St. Andrew's Society.

The ladies' guild of the Metropolitan church will hold a parlor social at the home of Mrs. Conyers, 1419 Fort street, to-morrow night. Among those who will take part are Mrs. Staneland, Miss Boxmuth, Miss Miller, Miss Desjardis, J. G. Brown, Arthur Desjardis, Mrs. A. J. Brown and Miss Longfield.

MAY TEAR UP
CONNECTING RAILSVANCOUVER STORY OF
HILL-HENDRY FIGHT

Said That V. W. and Y. Rail-
way Will Strand G. N. Trains
in B. C.

(Special to The Times).
Vancouver, April 20.—Notice is believed to have been served by the V. W. & Y. Railway to-day in Vancouver against the Great Northern Railway that the latter may not further use the tracks of the V. W. & Y. between Vancouver and New Westminster. This is the outcome of the business fight between Louis Hill, president of the Great Northern, and John Hendry, who for five years had been the representative of the Great Northern in all its affairs in British Columbia.

The story in circulation here to-day is that Mr. Hendry will at midnight to-night lift the rails joining his line with the Great Northern at Westminster and leave the Hill trains stranded twelve miles from Vancouver.

Aroused by this report a committee of Vancouver businessmen to-day interviewed Mr. Hendry. He did not deny his intention to get even with Hill by this means. Last week Louis Hill came to Vancouver and in a newspaper interview stated Mr. Hendry in immeasurable terms. Mr. Hendry was incensed and is now seeking revenge.

TELLS OF DOINGS
UP THE ISLANDEXCITING ADVENTURE
WITH BULL AT CLAYOQUOT

W. F. Best, Returning to City,
Proves Interesting
Raconteur.

W. F. Best, the mineralogist, who has just returned from a tour of the island, was this morning seen by a reporter to whom he gave reminiscences of his trip. He went up the West Coast as far as Quatsino on the Tees and crossed to Hardy Bay and then down through the Johnston Straits and through the Gulf to Victoria.

"At Alberni," said Mr. Best, "there is a good deal of building going on. A large hotel is being built and a number of houses and stores, especially at New Alberni, the C. P. R. townsite. In order to supply lumber for these a saw mill has been started about half way between the two townsites."

"We stopped a short time at Sechart. There two whales were on the slip, being cut up by about forty Japs. Two of them were sawing up bones. Some of which measure six feet in circumference, varying from that to three feet."

"A good story was told me at Clayoquot which may prove interesting to you. The Catholic priest at Clayoquot had a bull which he turned out on an island and which lived there until he was four years old. He was given to the people at the whaling station and the captain of the whaler went out one day to bring home the meat. The boat landed the party on the island and promised to return later when the bull should be killed and the meat cut up."

"One man carried a gun, and others had the butchering utensils with which the work was to be done. Then they went in search of taurus with the murder in their hearts. Pretty soon they came upon him rather suddenly. The gun was dropped and the knives fell to the ground, and all made a dash for trees where they hid, all except the captain who was too fat to follow suit."

"At Hardy Bay," continued Mr. Best, "the big cyclone which was reported to have struck the district two days before Christmas did a large amount of damage. It swept right across the narrow part of the island, commencing at Quatsino Harbor, jumping some of the distances and then striking again. It was first felt just at the head of Winter Harbor, where it did little damage. Then at the head of Kopsino Harbor it took a swath of timber about half a mile wide and two miles long. It swept every tree from Lewisian Island, and took several other small tracts, closing with a big sweep from two to three miles wide from the head of Rupert Arm to the Queen Charlotte Sound."

"Speaking of the trail between Coal Harbor and Hardy Bay, over which he crossed, he said that the government had recently done some work upon it, but nothing like what the trail was used a good deal by miners and others, and the mail was carried that way once a month. For that reason it should be made passable."

"The wharf at Hardy Bay," said Mr. Best, "is in great danger of collapse. The upper works are all in good shape, but the lower part is eaten away by termites, and the wharf will surely fall if not repaired immediately. This is an important wharf, as all passengers and freight for this part of the island are landed at that point."

In regard to the game, Mr. Best says that deer are being killed off very fast by the wolves. He saw four wolves, three at one time and one at another. Wild geese were plentiful. The trail was used a good deal by miners and others, and the mail was carried that way once a month. For that reason it should be made passable."

There is still something doing in mining in that district. According to Mr. Best, the tramway is being built from the Southeast Arm to the June Group, and the rails are now on the ground. A man named Price has taken land and built a house near the iron properties

Our Big After Easter Sale
STARTS TO-MORROW

After-Easter Sale of Women's New Costumes

\$35 and \$30 Values To-morrow, \$18.50

This is another example of our close buying ability, and provides you with an opportunity to buy a new spring costume for a marvellously low figure. These are new goods, direct from the tailors, and reflect the very latest style ideas. They are made up in a good variety of styles, including the popular Merry Widow, the improved Eton and the modish cutaway effects; the cloths used are extremely new and natty, including the new light tan shades, also the darker tans running into the browns in a good range of shades; navy blue is also strongly shown, with some pretty shades of sea-green in the assortment. Some costumes are plain, but many are tastefully trimmed with rich trimming effects, and are perfectly tailored. These costumes are certainly a wonderful offering at this time in the season, \$35.00 and \$30.00 values. To-morrow \$18.50

Women's Long Coats Much Underpriced

\$25 Covert Cloth Coats for \$14.50

This is an offering that should interest many. These coats are the very stylish 3/4 length tight fitting models, made up in the best English covert cloths. There is really no coat that carries the same amount of style and smartness that the long tight fitting coat does; no coat that is so dressy. These will be found to be useful for wear at all times, being heavy enough for cool weather wear, and still not too heavy for wearing in the warmer weather. These coats are strictly tailor-made, perfect fitting, and finished with every attention to detail that characterizes the perfectly tailored garment. This description gives a good idea of the style of the garment.

Women's Covert Cloth Coat, 3/4 length, tight fitting, with double-stitched seams, giving very smart tailored effect, single and double breasted, with large pearl buttons, outside pockets, with collar and cuffs, body silk lined; regular \$25.00, to-morrow \$14.50

Boys' and Youths' Foot-
wear at Reductions

Regular \$2.50 and \$1.75 Qualities
for \$1.25.

Some odd line of Boys' and Youths' Footwear go on sale to-morrow. These are broken lots of Shoes, good, strong, serviceable qualities for Boys' and Youths, the sizes ranging from eleven to five. The reason for making this offer is the fact that we have not got all sizes in the different qualities, so we wish to clean up the whole lot. Therefore we have marked them at the "hurry out" price quoted, and there is no doubt they will not last long at that price. Sale starts to-morrow morning at 8.30. Be on hand promptly. Regular values \$2.50 to \$1.75. To-morrow \$1.25

New Muslin Blouses for
Less

\$1.50 Qualities To-morrow, \$1.00

We have another 50 dozen lot of White Shirt Waists to offer for to-morrow. The blouse sale of the week just closed was a great success. A good many hundred women took advantage of the opportunity afforded to buy new blouses at such a bargain, so that the information that we have another 50 dozen of this special lot will be good news to anybody that was unable to attend the last sale. Nearly all the waists in this lot are regular \$1.50 qualities. Some are worth more, and there is a good assortment of very pretty designs. Regular values \$1.50 or more. To-morrow \$1.00

Reading Matter Very Cheap To-morrow

Magazines Up to 35c, To-morrow, 5c

Here's a chance to lay in a stock of reading matter for almost nothing. These are back numbers of some of the best magazines, including Scribners, Harper's, Windsor, Live Wire, Vogue, Munsey's and many others. At this price you had better come prepared to buy a quantity as it is not often that you can get such a lot of reading matter for so little money. Regular prices, 10c., 15c., 25c., and 35c. To-morrow 5c

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there, and has men now engaged in developing them. It is his intention to ship the ore to the Ironside works.

MATSUDA ISSUES CHALLENGE.

Jap Wants to Wrestle Swanson, or Any Man, at 145 Pounds.

Matsuda, the Japanese wrestler, wants a match with Swanson, from Nanaimo, and has lodged a challenge to this effect with H. McFadden, manager of the new Provincial Professional Athletic Club. Matsuda and the boy from Nanaimo have already met each other on the mat and Matsuda came out of the bout with the worst end of it. He was thrown on his head by Swanson and sustained an injury to his head. The match was at once called off. Matsuda now says he is dissatisfied with the result and wants another try.

The Provincial Professional Athletic Club has taken up the challenge of the man from Japan and will endeavor to bring the contest off on May 1st next. Matsuda intimates that should Swanson decline the invitation, he will wrestle a man at 145 pounds, and to insure a good match would be willing to concede five pounds to his opponent. This, another local man, is mentioned as being ready to fill the vacancy if Swanson declines.

OWLS' BALL.

A Splendid Programme Arranged for the Masquerade on Thursday Evening.

Next Thursday evening the Brotherhood of Owls will hold a masquerade ball in the Assembly skating rink. Prof. Banly's orchestra of seven pieces has been secured to provide music for the evening. One of the numbers to be given will be the new "Owl Two-step." The prizes will be given to the best characters, no matter how many times they have received them before, and the committee will be chosen on the evening of the masquerade. The supper arrangements are exceptionally fine.

The following is the prize list:
Best dressed lady, china set, from Weller Bros.; best dressed gentleman, set of clothes, from G. H. Finell; most original lady, sewing machine, from Singer Machine Company; most original gentleman, Morris chair, from Smith & Champion; best national lady, silver berry dish, from Anderson & Co.; best national gentleman, suit case, from B. Williams & Co.; best sustained lady, carving set, from C. R. Carter, Shore's

Good Luck

depends upon good tackle and not on the moon. Get your fishing outfit from us, and then, if you don't catch fish, it will be because there are no fish to catch. We carry every essential in the way of rods, lines, reels, flies, hooks, etc., for salmon, bass, trout-for lake, stream, river or salt water.

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—Next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the Ladies of St. Barnabas church will hold an Easter social in the schoolroom of the church. The Messrs. Longfield have kindly promised to provide music and an enjoyable time is expected.

VANCOUVER HOLD-UP.

(Special to The Times).
Vancouver, April 20.—F. S. Morris claims that he was held up and robbed of \$250 by a strong armed man last night near the Great Northern depot.

ACCORDING TO SIGNS.

Philadelphia Public Ledger.
An Irishman was walking along a road, when he was suddenly struck between the shoulders by a golf ball. The force of the blow almost knocked him down. When he recovered he observed a golfer running toward him.
"Are you hurt?" said the player. "Why didn't you get out of the way?"
"An' why should I get out of the way?" said Pat; "I didn't know there were any assassins around here."
"But I called fore!" said the player, "and now I say 'fore,' that is a sign for you to get out of the way."
"Oh, it is, is it?" said Pat. "Well, then, when I say 'fore' it's a sign that you're going to get hit on the nose." "Golfers."

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prices from 50c. to \$1.50 pair, up. Rob-
inson's Cash Store, 86 Yates Street.

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—The regular meeting of the Nat-
ural History Society has been post-
poned until Monday evening, April
27th.

—The regular review of Baxter Hive
No. 5, Ladies' of the Macabees, will be
held at Semple's hall, Tuesday, April
22nd, at 2:30 p. m.

—On Tuesday of this week the St.
Andrew's Society will give one of their
concerts and dance entertainments in
the A. O. U. W. hall. This society is
noted for the interesting evenings which
they provide.

—To-day being a statutory holiday
there was no sitting of the police court
this morning. All the civic offices, as
well as other public institutions are
also closed.

—The tea to be given in aid of the
Y. M. C. A. by the Ladies' Aid of St.
Andrew's Presbyterian church at the
home of Mrs. Edgar Smith, 837 St.
Charles street, has been postponed un-
til further notice.

—The Garrison Sergeants' Mess
Dance Club will hold the last dance of
the season on Friday evening of this
week at the Pines Court, Work Point
barracks, commencing at 8 o'clock. The
sergeants of the Fifth Regiment have
been invited to be present.

—Louis Dondoro, the Italian who is
charged with being one of the party of
three who robbed Tony Paravichich of
\$1,400 in the People Dog hotel last Nov-
ember, will appear before the magis-
trate to-morrow morning, but it is pos-
sible that the case will not be gone on
with as Dondoro has asked for counsel
and will likely be defended by J. A.
Aikman.

—Notice is given in the Provincial Ga-
zette that William Franklin Teetzel, of
the city of Victoria, has been appoint-
ed a commissioner for the purpose of
effecting an adjustment of the claims of
certain squatters in occupation of lands
embraced within the boundaries of the
reserve situated on the Kootenay river
in the vicinity of Creston, in the district
of West Kootenay. The first meeting
will be held in the office of the constable
and deputy mining recorder at Creston
on Thursday, April 23rd, 1908, at 10
o'clock.

—John Glasgow, of Seattle, spent
several days last week in Victoria in
search of his wife and six-months-old
child. Glasgow believes that his wife
has deserted him and he had had an
idea she might be staying in this city.
No trace of her was found, however,
and Glasgow left for Vancouver Sat-
urday to prosecute his search there.
Mrs. Glasgow left home a week ago
last Thursday, following which her
husband received a letter from her
bearing a Victoria date mark inform-
ing him that she had left him for
good, but assigning no reason for her
action.

EASTER-FROCKS FOR MEN.

The Soft Vicuna Has Displaced the
Old-Time Broadcloth.

Changing fashions in fabrics as the
years roll by can be likened to other
changes in methods. Twenty years
ago a gentleman would order a broad-
cloth coat of the tailor, and the
making was a matter of much worry
to the Knight of the Shears. The
broadcloth frock has gone, and in its
place has come the softer, more pleas-
ant and graceful vicuna.

A matter of \$40, \$50 or \$60 for a frock
coat in the latest mode has been
changed to \$25 and \$30 for silk-faced
and silk-lined coats. One can get them
finished to measure in two hours at the
Semi-ready store or have a special frock
coat and vest made to order in four
days from sample cloth shown at
every Semi-ready agency. They are
tailored better than the custom tailor
can make them, because the tailors
who make them become expert. They
are making frock coats all the year
round.

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A fine new building is to be erected
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Rescue Home on the property immedi-
ately adjoining the present structure
on Cormorant street. The building,
which will be of brick, will cost be-
tween \$12,000 and \$13,000, and it is hoped
to have it ready for occupation by Sep-
tember 1st, when school reopens for the
fall term.

The plans call for a structure two
stories high with large basement. It
will be located on property belonging
to the home immediately to the east
of the present building, which will be
disposed of as soon as the new one is
ready for occupancy. It will have a
frontage of 50 feet, with a depth of 65
feet and will be 35 feet high. The walls
will be of brick on stone foundation, and
the roof will be of slate.

The new home will be in every re-
spect modern and will be especially fit-
ted up for the work for which it is in-
tended. The ground floor will be used
for reception rooms, class rooms and
dining room. The kitchen will also be
on this floor. The second floor will be
devoted to dormitories. The attic will
not be finished up for the present but
will be used for dormitory purposes as
soon as extra accommodation is re-
quired for this purpose. The basement will
be used for laundry and storage pur-
poses.

It is the desire to have the building
ready for occupancy by the opening of
the school term, September 1st, and to
this end no time will be lost by Hooper
& Watson, the architects in charge, in
letting the contract.

The building is being erected by the
Women's Missionary Society of the
Methodist church in Canada. The ne-
cessity for the new building arises out
of the growth of the work here. At
present there are 17 Chinese girls in the
home, of whom 14 are attending classes,
while the 22 children, whose parents reside
in the city, are also enrolled, giving a
total enrollment in the school of 36.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY CONCERT.

Splendid Programme Prepared for Tues-
day Evening.

The St. Andrew's Society will give their
monthly concert and dance on Tuesday
evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. So
popular have these gatherings become
that the committee in charge have found
it necessary to engage the main hall in
the A. O. U. W. building, where all future
concerts will be held. The following ex-
cellent programme has been prepared for
to-morrow evening:

Bagpipe Selections Edward Wishart
Song James Taylor
Solo Mrs. Brown
Song W. D. Kinnaid
Duet Miss Patterson and Mrs. Brown
Violin Selections Mr. McNab
Solo Mrs. Reid
Song Mr. Melville
Solo Miss Naylor
Song J. A. Brown
Highland Dancing Miss Alma Hill
Bagpipe Selections Norman F. McDonald
At the conclusion of the above, refresh-
ments will be served, and the following
dance programme taken up: 1. Circassian
Circle; 2. Waltz; 3. Scotch Reel; 4. Two-
step; 5. Quadrille; 6. Minuet; 7. Highland
Schottische; 8. Waltz; 9. Patronella; 10.
Two-step; 11. Lancers; 12. Common
Schottische; 13. Waltz, Ladies' Choice; 14.
Bara Dance; 15. Two-step; 16. Lancers; 17.
Waltz.

Miss Thain's orchestra will supply the
dance music, and a thoroughly enjoyable
evening is promised all who attend.

LAD AT REST.

Funeral of Late Mrs. Jones Took Place
Saturday Afternoon.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jones took
place from the family residence Saturday
at 2:15, and later services were held at
Christ Church cathedral, where the body
was met by Archdeacon Scrimgeour, Canon
Beaumont, who read the beautiful
burial service. The choir sang the follow-
ing hymns: "Rock of Ages" and "On the
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LOCAL MILLS HAVE

CHANGED OWNERS

B. F. Graham Lumber Co.
Has Sold to Taylor-
Pattison.

A change in the ownership of the B.
F. Graham Lumber Company is re-
ported, the new owners being a num-
ber of capitalists from Seattle and New
Mexico, namely, J. O. Cameron, D. O.
Cameron, Judge A. A. Freeman, J. M.
Donahue, L. Scott and M. Pattison,
who have purchased the interests of
the company at a cost of \$100,000. The
property was formerly known as the
Taylor-Pattison Mill and was about a
year ago taken over by the B. F. Graham
Lumber Company. The transac-
tion just completed practically means
a change of the property back again
to the old company, which has been re-
formed by the syndicate which is com-
prised of the new owners whose names
are given above.

Included in the deal are two million
feet of lumber stock, now lying in the
yards and one million feet of logs. By
the deal the Taylor-Pattison Company
will resume its active existence which
was merged into the B. F. Graham
Company by the change of a year ago,
and will for the purpose of adding ex-
tensive plant, increase its capital stock.
A dry kiln is to be built and arrange-
ments made for an increased output.
The president of the new company is
J. O. Cameron, of Carlsbad, New Mex-
ico, a partner of the law firm of Free-
man, Cameron & Fulham. Mr. Cam-
eron is a member of the senate of New
Mexico. He is also a director of the
B. F. Graham Lumber Company.

D. O. Cameron, his brother, is a
Texas man. He will be secretary and
treasurer of the new company, which
position he occupied with the B. F.
Graham Company.

J. M. Donahue and Lee Scott are the
only members of the company who
have been connected with the old com-
pany. They are Seattle men who have
mill interests there. Mr. J. O. Cam-
eron intends to devote his time to the
interests of the lumber company and
will not return to the practice of law.
The law business of the firm of Free-
man, Cameron & Fulham will engage
the attention of Judge Freeman, who
will not take active part in the work
of the lumber company. Judge Free-
man was at one time an associate
judge of the territory of New Mexico
and for eight years assistant U. S. at-
torney-general at Washington, D. C.
He was also consular agent at Prague
Bohemia.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

Information for the Guidance of the
Members of the Fifth.

The latest orders promulgated for the
guidance of the members of the Fifth
Regiment, C. G. A., are as follows:
Para. 1, R. O., No. 5, Feb. 5th, 1908, is
hereby cancelled, as far as it relates to
No. 26, Gunner T. G. Targett.

The following man, having been re-
attested, is continued on the strength of
the regulation for a further term of three
years: No. 26, Gr. T. G. Targett, April
15th, 1908.

It is noted for general information that
the drill hall will be closed from Friday,
15th, to Monday, 20th, both inclusive.

All regimental buglers and drummers
will parade on Wednesday next, the 22nd
inst., for inspection by the officer com-
manding.

The Clover Point rifle range is now
open. Practice will be held every Sat-
urday afternoon until further orders.
Lieut. F. T. Stern will be range officer
for Saturday next, the 25th instant.

NAVY LEAGUE.

Annual Meeting to Be Held to Elect
Officers and Decide Policy.

The annual general meeting of the
local branch of the Navy League will
be held in the Y. M. C. A. hall, Broad
street, Victoria, on Wednesday 23rd,
April, at 8 p. m., when after re-
ceiving reports and election of officers
business of special moment will be
introduced.

CIVIC ADMINISTRATION TO UNDERGO CHANGE

Municipal Officers' By-Law is
to Be Amended by City
Council.

Notice of a by-law to amend the
municipal officers' duties by-law, which
has been given by Ald. Cameron, fore-
shadows some changes in the adminis-
tration of civic affairs. One of the pro-
visions of the amendment will be the
addition of a controller to the list of
officials. Another will define the duties
of the superintendent of streets and
sidewalks construction, whom the
council is expected to appoint to-mor-
row evening. A change will be made in
connection with the sanitary depart-
ment, by which the inspection of food-
stuffs, including milk, will be placed
under that branch and the separate po-
sition of milk inspector will be abol-
ished. This by-law will come up at to-
morrow evening's council meeting, if
it is ready by then.

In connection with the provision for
a city controller, Ald. Cameron explain-
ed that up to the beginning of this year
the duties of auditor and controller had
been combined. A change had then
been made, however, and the two po-
sitions separated, an official being ap-
pointed whose sole duty was that of
auditing, the idea being that J. L. Ray-
mur, who had up to then performed
both duties, as well as that of water
commissioner, should continue to act as
controller in addition as well as head of
the water department. The by-law
which will be introduced will define
Mr. Raymur's duties as controller. Up
to the present all checks have been
signed by the mayor, the treasurer and
the auditor. In future it is proposed
that they be signed by the controller
instead of the auditor.

As the position of a superintendent of
street and sidewalk construction is a
new one, it will be necessary to define
the duties of the position, and this will
be done in the proposed amendment to
the by-law.

The change in regard to the health
department is being made in anticipa-
tion of the passing of Ald. Gleason's by-
law for the inspection of foodstuffs.
The proposition before the council is to
put this work in charge of the health
department, the present sanitary in-
spector being also inspector under Ald.
Gleason's by-law. Among the food-
stuffs included in Ald. Gleason's by-law
is milk. There is already a city milk
inspector, and this position will be com-
bined with that of inspector of other
classes of foodstuffs, and an assistant to
Mr. Lancaster, sanitary inspector, appointed.

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BASEBALL TEAM

BATTERY MEN

CHOSEN FOR VICTORIA'S CRACK AGGREGATION.

Good Practice Held at Oak Bay Yesterday Morning.

The members of the Victoria Baseball Club had what was practically their first real good practice at the Oak Bay grounds yesterday morning. Almost twenty players were out in uniform. A five-inning game was played between teams chosen from those present. Blackburne and Peden did the pitching for the "Clams," Robertson doing the receiving, while for the "Yanigans" Surplice and McMillroye did the pitching, and Crocker the catching. The Clams came out victorious by a score of 3 to 1.

The game was a good one, and after the fifth inning all hands turned to fielding and batting practice. Victoria will in all likelihood have two splendid batteries this season. Blackburne shows great speed and splendid control, and being a left-handed pitcher will keep visiting batters guessing. In Surplice, another pitcher, who has joined the team, the club has a good man. He is a right-hander with splendid control, a most varied assortment of curves and considerable speed, and with a couple of weeks' practice will be in fine form.

Catchers Crocker and Robertson go to make up the receiving end of the batteries. The former will be the regular man behind the bat, with Robertson in the outfield and reserve catcher. Crocker is a very big, little man, standing about five feet seven inches, with powerful shoulders and weighs about 150 pounds. He has been residing in Victoria for some time past, but has never played here before, most of his experience on the ball field having been gained in the East. In action, he looks like a fine catcher, being a good receiver and a fine thrower. The club is fortunate in finding a man of his ability to fill the important position of catcher.

Robertson is somewhat light to do the regular work behind the bat, but should make a fine outfielder, as he is fast on his feet as well as a fine thrower and a good hitter, and can always be relied on to go in and catch in case of an accident. These four players can be considered fixtures on the team, so the battery question is practically settled. The balance of the team has not been decided on as yet, as several players have not been out to practice next Sunday, as will possibly Schwengers and Rithet, and one or two others.

Evening practice will commence next week, at which all hands are expected to report. About Sunday, May 2nd, the team will be picked, allowing one week for final practice and signal work.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL SCHEDULE CHANGED.

Ed. Whyte did not go to Vancouver for nothing. In the interests of the two Island teams represented he managed to get the schedule of games changed. The former arrangement was that the Thistles of Vancouver should meet the winners of the Island teams. The Advertiser gives the following account of the meeting of the committee:

At a special meeting of the People's Shield committee held on Saturday night it was decided to have the Thistles of this city play the Calgary Caledonians in the semi-final at Recreation Park on Saturday next. The winners will meet Ladysmith in the final at the park on Tuesday evening, April 28th.

Those present at the meeting were: Con-Jones, chairman; Dr. Ings, of Calgary, one of the trustees; George A. Parker, Canadian representative of the People's newspaper; Ed. Whyte, Victoria; B. F. Armstrong, Vancouver; James Adams, Ladysmith; W. Graham, Nanaimo, and Will Ellis, secretary.

Ed. Whyte will referee the semi-final, while Will Ellis, the popular secretary of the committee, will handle the whistle in the final. Messrs. T. Mahoney, of New Westminster, and W. Riecke, of this city, will officiate as linesmen in both matches.

The representatives of the British Columbia Football Association assured Dr. Ings, president of the Calgary Caledonians, that a team would be sent from British Columbia to the Dominion fair to be held in Calgary during the first week in July. It is expected that arrangements will then be made to pick a Canadian team to go to the Old Country for the Olympic games.

VICTORIOUS JUNIORS RETURN.

The North Ward victorious soccer team returned home last night from Vancouver on the Princess Royal. Johnnie Peden, one of the players had to be helped off the boat, he having injured the muscles of his leg. He played all through the game, but was rather badly handicapped in the second half.

Principal Tait, who went over with the boys, stated this morning that the game was a splendid one, several players of note giving it as their opinion that it was the best played junior game they had ever seen. The Vancouver men were heavier and played well, but they were hopelessly outclassed. The boys behaved splendidly, and all enjoyed the trip. They put up at the Windsor hotel, where they were treated well. The return game will be played in this city on Saturday next, when the Vancouver Shamrocks will visit this city.

The North Ward team is to be congratulated on the fine exhibition of soccer they put up. The junior teams from that part of the city, which are really representative Victoria teams, have lost only one game in four years, and it seems a pity that some recognition cannot be given the lads who are laying the foundations of the game for the future. They are the boys who will be the senior players within a couple of years, and it would be quite a fitting thing to recognize this in some way.

BASKETBALL FINAL MATCH.

What will probably be the last big basketball game to be played this season will take place on Friday night at the skating rink, when Vancouver Y. M. C. A. five meet the Seattle aggregation in the final for the season. Each of these teams have won a game and the number of points scored total the same, so that they are evenly matched. The game is played here because of the convenient position, and the fact that it is neutral ground.

Doubtless there will be a big attendance as Victorians are fond of a strenuous game, no matter who is playing it. W. G. Findlay will handle the whistle.

that his entry for the Derby was invalidated by the death of his breeder, Prince Bathynaty, prevented him from being enrolled on the list of blue ribbon horses.

At the sale of the Prince's horses he was purchased by the late Mr. H. Dawson on behalf of the Duke of Portland, for 1,600 guineas, and proved the greatest bargain ever made in the history of the turf.

As a stallion, he added to his already great fame, among his stock being the Oaks winners, La Fleche, Memoir, Mrs. Butterwick, and La Roche, and the Derby winners, Diamond Jubilee and Persimmon (bred by the King). Other good horses he sired were St. Frusquin, Florizel H., St. Serf, William the Third, and St. Macloir.

Approximately the value of the stakes won by the stock of St. Simon was over half a million pounds, and in stud fees he earned for the stud of Portland about a quarter of a million. His stud fee at his death was 500 guineas, and his influence in the British thoroughbred has been greater than that of any other horse. —Pall Mall Gazette.

GOLF AUSTRALIAN CHAMPION.

Edward L. Simpson, champion golfer of Australia, arrived in Seattle a day or two ago, and went on to San Francisco, aboard the Japanese steamship Iyo Maru, from the Orient. He plans to spend several months in America on a visit of pleasure and recreation.

American golfers familiar with the link performances of Mr. Simpson contend that his title gives him a position among the fastest golf players of the world. Mr. Simpson is a lawyer of Sidney, and gives his attention to golf only as a diversion for pleasure.

"I have brought my sticks with me and will try and get to all of the important golf links in America during my stay in the country," said Mr. Simpson.

"This does not mean that my visit has anything formal attached to it nor that I can do anything to further the game here. I have visited practically every country of the world on one errand or another that had something of golf connected with it. America has been left to the end."

The game of golf in the United States has made greater progress than in any country of the world. Persons who predicted that the sport here would reach no standing beyond a fad have been compelled to change their opinions with the showing that has been made by several Americans, who as yet can hardly be considered as other than amateurs at the play.

If Mr. Simpson is anxious to meet a worthy foe he should pay a visit to Victoria where doubtless Harvey Combe could accommodate him.

THE OAR REGATTA AT ALAMEDA.

The Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen is making elaborate preparations for the holding of a regatta as part of the athletic schedule for the entertainment of the enlisted men of the battle-ship fleet on May 8th. All of the rowing clubs in the vicinity of the bay, the Dolphins, South End, Ariel and Alameda, together with the San Diego club, will enter crews in the various races to be held in the Alameda Estuary.

A regatta committee, consisting of the enlisted men of the battle-ship fleet, is to receive on May 8th 1200 sailors of the different war ships, and in conjunction with the races for the boat clubs, special contest will be decided between the cutter crews from the Atlantic and Pacific squadrons and the crew from the marines and engineers, the fleet committee having awarded prizes of \$100 for each race.

MISCELLANEOUS BIG ROLLER RACE.

The big 24-hour race at the roller rink was won on Saturday night by Wallis by a lap and a half. The winner received a medal from the manager of the rink, and the loser, Gordon, is to receive a present as a consolation prize, the hat being passed around on Saturday night for that purpose.

The whole distance covered was 178 miles, the boy taking never more than five minutes' rest during the whole time, and that only half a dozen times. The speed was good throughout, especially in the first twelve hours, but as was to be expected it slackened somewhat after that. The race terminated at 10:15 Saturday night.

GOLF MIXED FOURSOMES.

A mixed foursome will be held at the United Service Golf Club next Saturday afternoon, commencing at 2:30. This event will be open to all members. Players will kindly send in the names to the hon. secretary in time to arrange handicap. The officers at Work Point barracks will enter members and friends at tea in the club house after the match.

YACHTING SHAMROCK IV.

London, April 20.—Sir Thomas Lip-ton's new racing yacht Shamrock IV, was launched at Fife's yard at Fairlie, Ayrshire. The new yacht will be commanded by Capt. Sycamore, and is to compete in the British regattas of 1908.

GENERAL NOTES.

Manager Willie not only understands baseball, but has the knack of working up a team and keeping the boys in good humor. Doubtless there will be some excellent sport this year at the Oak Bay grounds for which Victorians will be truly thankful after the decadence in the game for the last season or two.

The Thistles, soccer champions of the Mainland, and Nanaimo, champions of the Island, will meet in the Coal City

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In the fifth he rallied gamely after taking severe punishment, but he could not succeed in reaching the agile Burns, who ended the one-sided match with a terrific right to the jaw, which put Smith to the floor and out.

Almost a panic was caused at the end of the third round when a photographic apparatus exploded, setting fire to the flags and decorations. Scores of the spectators leaped to their feet but they were prevailed upon to remain in their places and the fire was speedily extinguished.

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Almost a panic was caused at the end of the third round when a photographic apparatus exploded, setting fire to the flags and decorations. Scores of the spectators leaped to their feet but they were prevailed upon to remain in their places and the fire was speedily extinguished.

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LADYSMITH TURNS TABLES

ON NANAIMO SOCCER TEAM AT VANCOUVER

Fierce Struggle in a Quagmire of Recreation Park Mud.

Although defeated a few days ago for the Island championship by Nanaimo, the crack Ladysmith eleven, former champions, turned the tables on the Nanaimo team Saturday afternoon at Recreation park, Vancouver, in the first round for the People's Shield, emblematic of the Dominion soccer championship, winning by a score of 2 goals to 1. Nanaimo played superior football all the way, but could not penetrate the Ladysmith defence, which was impregnable. The Island champions outplayed their opponents in the forward line, their fast dribbling being a feature, but the clever backs of the Ladysmith team proved too strong and relieved the situation at all times with brilliant kicks. With the exception of Graham, the Nanaimo back division was decidedly weak. This was undoubtedly due to the fact that Hewitt, the left back, was unfit for a hard game owing to a badly wrenched knee and he could not withstand the rushes of the opposing forwards, while the half backs paid too much attention to Jimmy Adams, the Ladysmith captain, with the result that the men playing on the line with Adams had no difficulty in carrying the ball down field. While the match was stubbornly contested the teams fighting hard throughout, it was only brilliant in spots. But the play was fine at all times, and the large crowd of spectators in the stand and bleachers were on their feet from start to finish. Both teams were accompanied by a contingent of loyal rooters, while the local footballers were out in force.

The ground was a veritable quagmire, the players wallowing around in the mud, and when they came off the field at half time they were covered with mud. Even the referee, Tim Mahoney, of New Westminster, was covered from head to foot with mud, one of the players colliding with the general line and sending him sprawling in the mud. Owing to the terrible state of the field the play was very slow at times, the players being unable to hold their feet. Despite this great handicap, however, the combination of both teams was splendid, although many good plays were nipped in the bud by the players going down in the mud.

On a muddy field the Islanders showed up in the very best of form, and it goes without saying that on dry ground their work must be grand. Jimmy Adams was a big factor in the game and it was due to his magnificent playing that honors rested with Ladysmith at the close. He got both of the goals, the first after a pretty rush in which he carried the ball half the length of the field and past three Nanaimo men before placing the ball in the net behind Bradshaw, the Nanaimo custodian. Nanaimo evened matters up shortly after, after a stiff attack on the Ladysmith goal, Morrison stopped a hot shot from Blundell, but was unable to clear and Hooper managed to boot the ball through. The score at half time was one goal each. Upon the resumption of play, Ladysmith got possession of the ball, but the Nanaimo backs relieved. The third and last goal of the match was scored about ten minutes after the restart. Provis secured on the left wing and dribbling down field, centred. Adams was right in the mouth of the goal and the ball struck him in the face, glancing off into the net.

Nanaimo held the ball in Ladysmith territory the major portion of the time, but the combined efforts of the latter team's backs kept the goal free. In the first half the Nanaimo players sent in a half dozen hot shots, but Morrison, who took Hartley's place in goal, was equal to the occasion and fisted them out.

Nanaimo continued on the attack in the second half, but could not penetrate the Ladysmith citadel. The champions played desperately and on one occasion the players were mixed up around the Ladysmith goal for several minutes, during which time Nanaimo forwards sent in shot after shot, but their efforts were futile, and Ladysmith cleared. The closing minutes of the big match were very exciting. The Island champions were fighting hard to stave off defeat and continually shot on the opposing goal. All of the Ladysmith players were on the defence and it would have been impossible to get a rubber ball through the backs. Morrison in goal was called upon to stop shot after shot, and till the whistle blew he was kept bustling to defend his goal. Adams was the best man on the field although he loafed considerably after placing his team in the lead. He is undoubtedly the best forward in the province. Graham, the Nanaimo right back, played a sound game. With Hewitt crippled, nearly all the work fell to Graham and he had a busy afternoon. He is a brilliant kick and plays clean football. Clegg at centre half outplayed his man and fed his forwards well. Wynn on the left showed up strong. Bradshaw made

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several good saves, but on the whole he had an easy afternoon. Morrison at the other end having the work of two men. Cruickshanks, Hurren and Hooper comprised a trio of forwards that worked incessantly throughout the game. Blundell on the left was watched closely by O'Connell, and was not very effective.

Mr. T. Mahoney, of New Westminster, made a very efficient referee.

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An application for inspection of inspection made personally at any Sub-Agent's office may be wired to the local agent by the Sub-Agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail. In case of "per-ration" the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim.

An application for inspection must be made in person by the applicant or must be eligible for homestead entry, if only one application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.

A homesteader whose entry is in good standing, and not liable to cancellation, may, subject to approval of Department, relinquish it in favor of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, if eligible, but to no one else, on filing declaration of abandonment.

Where an entry is summarily cancelled, or voluntarily abandoned, subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for inspection will be entitled to prior right of entry.

Applicants for inspection must state in what particular section of the land is in default, and if subsequently the statement is found to be incorrect in material particulars, the applicant will lose any prior right of re-entry, should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled.

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Lamb, per lb. 1.50
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Calgary, per sack 1.50
Calgary, per lb. 1.50
Moose Jaw, per sack 1.50
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Excelsior, per sack 1.50
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Kirkland, per sack 1.50
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Oak Lake, per sack 1.50
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Rhubarb, per lb. 1.50
Cucumbers, each 1.50
Cauliflower, per doz. 1.50

Wheat, per ton 3.50
Wheat, per lb. 3.50
Oats, per ton 3.50
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Whole Corn, per ton 3.50
Whole Corn, per lb. 3.50
Cracked Corn, per ton 3.50
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Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk. 3.50
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 4-lb. sk. 3.50
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 2-lb. sk. 3.50
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack 3.50
Oatmeal, 5-lb. sack 3.50
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs. 3.50
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs. 3.50
Wheat Flakes, per packet 3.50
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs. 3.50
Graham Flour, 10 lbs. 3.50
Graham Flour, 5 lbs. 3.50

Hay (baled), new, per ton 3.50
Hay (baled), old, per ton 3.50
Middlings, per ton 3.50
Brans, per ton 3.50
Ground Feed, per ton 3.50
Shorts, per ton 3.50
Poultry—
Dressed Fowl, per lb. 3.50
Spring Chicken, per lb. 3.50
Ducks, per lb. 3.50
Geese (Island), per lb. 3.50
Turkey, per lb. 3.50

Fish—
Salmon (spring), per lb. 3.50
Salmon (smoked), per lb. 3.50
Halibut, per lb. 3.50
Halibut (smoked), per lb. 3.50
Smelt, per lb. 3.50
Pounders, per lb. 3.50
Cods, per lb. 3.50
Black Cod, per lb. 3.50
Bass, per lb. 3.50
Prawns, per lb. 3.50
Pinnapples, per lb. 3.50

Fruit—
Walnuts, per doz. 3.50
Chestnuts, per doz. 3.50
Bananas, per doz. 3.50
Grapes, each 3.50
Apples, per box 3.50
Apples, per doz. 3.50
Oranges (navel), per doz. 3.50
Grape Fruit (new), per doz. 3.50
Grapes, seeded, new 3.50
Valencia Raisins, per lb. 3.50
Sultana Raisins, per lb. 3.50
Currants, new, 2 lbs. 3.50
Figs (Cal.), table, per lb. 3.50
Figs (Cal.), cooking, 2 lbs. 3.50
Figs (Smyrna), per lb. 3.50
Figs (Tegua), per lb. 3.50
Almonds, shelled (Valencia), 3.50
Almonds, shelled (Jordan), 3.50
Apples, dried 3.50
Apricots, dried 3.50
Peaches, dried 3.50
Peas (sawed), per lb. 3.50
Pratt's Coal Oil 3.50
Buckeye, per lb. 3.50
Granulated Sugar 3.50

Wholesale Markets—
Carrots, per 100 lbs. 1.50
Bananas, per bunch 1.50
Lemons, per 100 1.50
Walnuts, Cal. 1.50
Walnuts, Eastern 1.50
Garlic, per lb. 1.50
Apples, per box 1.50
Pinnapples, per doz. 1.50
Cabbage, per lb. 1.50
Cauliflower, each 1.50
Ham, per lb. 1.50
Bacon, per lb. 1.50
Butter (creamery), per lb. 1.50
Butter (Eastern), per lb. 1.50
Eggs (rancho), per doz. 1.50
Eggs (selected), per doz. 1.50
Oats, per ton 1.50
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Barley, per ton 1.50
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Chicago Board of Trade

Chicago, April 20.—The wheat market was strong to-day from start to finish, due primarily to small receipts and buying by cash houses. A decrease of 1.00 bu. in the visible supply was also a bullish factor.

The close was firm, with May wheat at a net gain of 1/4 cents over Saturday, and July at 3/4 cent net gain of 1/4.

The corn market was apparently under pressure again to-day, and at times prices being forced down from 1/4 for May to 1/4 cents for July below Saturday's close.

The close was considerably better than the lowest, but heavy, with May off 1/4 and July on 1/4. The visible supply will May down 30 cents at 12.50, and July down 20 at 12.12-15.

There was practically nothing doing in the oats market, May closing 1/4 higher at 5 1/4, and July unchanged at 4 3/4.

Provisions were weak and lower, with May down 30 cents at 12.50, and July down 20 at 12.12-15.

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MINING STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson)
Spokane, April 20.
Idaho.
Bid. Asked.
Alax 10 12 1/2
Alhambra 10 12 1/2
Ambergris 10 12 1/2
Alma Commander 4 5 1/2
Bell 5 10
Bullion 10 12 1/2
Chas. Dickson 10 12 1/2
Copper King 10 12 1/2
Echo 1 2 1/2
Evolution 10 12 1/2
Gertie 10 12 1/2
Gold Bullion 27 1/2
Happy Day 3 4
Hedra 300 400
Humming Bird 4

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READ THE TIMES

News From Four Corners of B. C.

Interesting Happenings Gleaned From All Sources in the Province

PURGING CHINATOWN FROM GAMBLING VICE

Vancouver Police Chief Takes Strong Stand in Reform Movement.

Vancouver, April 18.—"I am going to
clean the gambling out of Chinatown,"
said the Chief of Police Chamberlain.
He went on to say that the remark
that it would do no harm to allow
the Chinamen to gamble among them-
selves did not apply. They did not
keep the gambling among themselves.
Their patrons were whites and
mostly young lads and persons
who could not afford to lose the money.
In the recent raids ample evidence
was given of this. The majority ar-
rested were whites. The Chinamen
paid their fines so that they would be
encouraged to go back again.
The chief has also had reports of
men spending money in dissipation
while their wives and families were
suffering privation. The places which
take these men's money for wine, etc.,
will also receive some of the chief's
attention.

MINING RETURNS IN SOUTHEASTERN B. C.

Granby Again Exceeds 20,000 Tons—Good Showings in Other Properties.

Nelson, April 18.—The following are the
shipments from the various mines of the
district of Southeastern British Colum-
bia, and the receipts at the smelters for
the past week and year to date:

ORE SHIPMENTS.
Boundary.

Mines.	Week.	Year.
Granby	22,329	314,825
Other mines	462	462
Total	22,329	315,087

Rossland.

Mines.	Week.	Year.
Centre Star	3,125	31,250
Le Roi	1,432	14,325
Le Roi No. 2	678	10,211
Other mines	509	509
Total	5,744	56,295

East of Columbia River.

Mines.	Week.	Year.
St. Eugene	445	8,900
Whitewater (Mld.)	280	4,340
Poorman (Mld.)	150	3,100
Queen (Mld.)	150	2,700
Second Relief (Mld.)	145	1,775
Whitewater	21	42
North Star	36	96
Standard	45	46
Rambler Cariboo	22	45
Vancouver	20	43
Arlington Slocan	18	36
Ruth	39	30
Hewitt	22	17
Silver Cup	32	148
Westmont	24	47
Maggie	3	3
Other mines	11,915	11,915
Total	1,588	35,349
Total shipments	29,161	47,283

SMELTER RECEIPTS.

Smelters.	Week.	Year.
Grand Forks	22,350	314,825
Trail	5,830	32,276
Northport (Le Roi)	1,432	25,944
Total	29,612	42,845

VANCOUVER TORIES.

President of B. C. Conservative Asso-
ciation Replies to Sir Charles
Tupper.

Vancouver, April 19.—The following
copy of an open letter sent by G. H.
Barnard, president of the British Col-
umbia Conservative Association, to Sir
Charles Tupper, Bart, in reply to the
letter of Sir Charles, already pub-

lished, was received by the secretary
of the Vancouver Conservative Club
yesterday morning.

To the Right Honorable Sir Charles
Tupper, Bart., P. C., Vancouver,
B. C.

My Dear Sir Charles Tupper: I am
in receipt of your letter of the 13th,
and I am also in receipt from the sec-
retary of the Conservative Club of
Vancouver of a copy of the resolution
to which you refer. My information is
that the club is responsible only for
the resolution itself and not for the
action under which it was published.

The executive committee of the Con-
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nation of the state of organization of
the party throughout the various con-
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to the conclusion that the constituency
of Vancouver city is the best organ-
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I feel that it would be extremely un-
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In fact I am strongly of the view
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WORK ON G. T. P. IN KEREMEOS DISTRICT

Rails Will Be Laid to Hedley City By First of July.

(Special Correspondence).

Grand Forks, April 18.—Fred Lane,
the well known contractor who has
had a contract on the Great Northern
Railway west of Keremeos, arrived in
Grand Forks yesterday, and will
straighten up his affairs preparatory
to going to Prince Rupert. Grading
operations on the Great Northern west
of Keremeos is progressing favorably;
there are some seven railway camps
in all employing about 500 men. It is
expected that by July 1st the rails will
be laid to Hedley City and probably
the work will be resumed to Princeton
this fall. It is expected that most of
the contractors engaged on this work
will be awarded contracts on the
Grand Trunk Pacific east of Prince
Rupert.

At Keremeos the Keremeos Land
Company has resumed work on the big
irrigation ditch and just now prospec-
tive orchard lands around Keremeos
are selling like hot cakes at \$200 per
acre.

(Special Correspondence).

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Wash., that for the past few weeks all
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have been shut down owing to the low
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which has been run to tap the ore lead.

The surprise, however, is a Spokane
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AMENDMENT TO IMMIGRATION LAW

CONSERVATIVES RETARD PASSAGE OF MEASURE

**R. L. Borden Indulged in Casu-
istical Criticism on Salient
Point.**

(Special Correspondence.)
Ottawa, April 10.—The discussion on
the Immigration Act amendment in-
troduced by Hon. Frank Oliver, minis-
ter of the interior, was of particular in-
terest to the people of British Columbia.

Although the premier was anxious to
have the matter pressed as quickly as
possible owing to its urgency, the op-
position leader and his friends were un-
able to resist the temptation to indulge in
half-splitting criticism, the effect of
which was to delay the passage of the
measure, and in the end they voted for
it. That is one of the anomalies daily
presented by the opposition. They will
attack a government measure, like, for
instance, the French Treaty or the im-
migration question with fury that leads
one to expect a solid opposition—
hands and feet—to the legislation. But,
instead, when the vote is taken they
neekly fall in line and support it. This
attitude suggests the idea that they
would dearly love to see the govern-
ment made by the opposition, and that
important question of immigration
which they would like to make some
point made by Mr. Justice Clements
for the country or to do all they can
to prevent it, to create disorder and
thus stand a chance of regaining
power? Mr. Oliver's amendment was to
make further provision regarding the
exclusion of immigrants, covering the
exclusion of Mr. Justice Clements in the
other day. In explaining it the minister
said:

"The purpose of this amendment is to
make further provision in regard to the
exclusion of immigrants. The Act as it
stands contains provisions for the pro-
tection of immigrants and also for the
exclusion and deportation of immi-
grants. An immigrant arriving at a
Canadian port if considered to be un-
desirable according to the terms of our
immigration law may be excluded at
that port, and if excluded under the
terms of the law the transportation com-
pany which brought him to the
port must take him back to the
port from which he sailed, and the
country in which that port is situated
must receive him back, because until
he has officially landed in Canada he
is still at all intents and purposes a
resident of the country from which he
sailed. If an undesirable comes into
Canada and it becomes necessary or
desirable to deport him, we can upon
the steamship company which brought
him to Canada to take him back to the
port from which he sailed. But if he is
not a citizen of the country in which
that port is situated, that country does
not need to receive him back, and it is
not possible for the steamship company
to carry out our order of deportation.

We were, therefore, in the position of
having possibly to deal with numbers
of people whom it might be desirable
to deport, and yet because of their not
having sailed from the country of their
citizenship, or not having come from
that country by a ticket upon which
we could hold the transportation com-
pany responsible to take them back to
the country of their citizenship, we
were not in a position to deport them.
In order then that the intent of the
immigration law might be carried out
and made effective in regard to the ex-
clusion of undesirable, it was provided
by a regulation passed on the 8th of
January last that immigrants arriving
from a country other than that of their
citizenship might be excluded. This
regulation was put in force and was
applied to the arrival of Asiatics on
the Pacific coast, in one instance to
Japanese coming from the Hawaiian
islands, and in another case to Hindus
coming from Hong Kong. There is a
large Japanese population in the Ha-
waiian islands who, for industrial or
commercial reasons, are an emigrant
population looking for another field of
settlement.

These people, having left the country
of their citizenship, having become res-
idents of the Hawaiian islands, which
are dependencies of the United States,
and then having decided to come to
Canada, were not under the jurisdiction
of the country of their citizenship.
If we had reason to believe that they
were coming to the port of landing, or
to order their deportation or exclusion
to take them back to the Hawaiian
islands, the United States government
could refuse to receive them. They were
then in the position in which they were
when they came from the Hawaiian
islands and we practically had to let
them land. The same condition pre-
valled in regard to the movement from
Hong Kong. Large numbers of Hindus
who have left India and settled in Hong
Kong, for one reason or another, de-
sired to settle in Canada. The question
in fact, came up in the first place, be-
cause of our finding it desirable to de-
port a number of these Hindus who had
landed in Vancouver. They were sub-
ject to the deportation clause of the
immigration act, but when we under-
took to deport them the government
of Hong Kong refused to receive them,
because they were not citizens of that
country and they were simply left
on our hands. I should correct myself.
I spoke a few minutes ago of those
coming from the Hawaiian islands and
I said that if we excluded them it
would not be possible to return them.
I meant that after they landed, if we
undertook to deport them, we could
not compel their reception by the
United States authorities in the Ha-
waiian islands. The regulation of the
8th of January, passed to meet that
case, was put in force and was applied
to the arrivals from the Hawaiian
islands and from other regions in the
Pacific. It was in March that the large
arrival of Hindus from Hong Kong
took place. The regulation was applied
to these people, legal proceedings were

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taken by the transportation company
to set aside the regulation, and it was
set aside by the courts of British Co-
lumbia as not having been in proper
form. The point taken was that while
the governor in council had the right
to exclude, he had not the right to
delegate that power of exclusion to the
minister of the interior as had been
done by the terms of the regulation;
therefore, the regulation was declared
to be of non-effect and these people
had to be permitted to land. We formed
the regulation again so as to conform
with the decision of the court and it
is now in force, but we believe that this
question is of such importance to the
administration of our immigration law
that it should be embodied in the law
itself and should not be dependent upon
a regulation. Therefore the section
which is contained in the bill was
drafted and is brought before the house
for its approval. I might say that since
the bill was drafted some exception
has been taken to the use of a certain
word in the latter part of the clause
and it has been thought advisable to
re-draft the latter part of the section.
I have an amendment here which I
desire to propose and which has been
approved by the department of justice.
I would move:

"That all the words after the word
'who' in the fourth line be struck out
and that the following be inserted in
lieu thereof: 'have come to Canada
otherwise than by continuous journey
from the country of which they are
natives or citizens and upon through
tickets purchased in such country.'
A lengthy discussion followed in
which the provision was criticised by
Messrs. Borden, Haggart, Lennox and
Col. Sam Hughes, and defended by the
Premier, Hon. Mr. Oliver, Hon. Mr.
Lemieux, and Messrs. Gallie, Ralph
Smith, and Macpherson.

All sorts of points were taken. The
opposition leader maintained that this
provision would be held to conflict with
the Treaty act and be rendered in-
effective in consequence, as far as
Japanese were concerned.
Mr. Ralph Smith said that if such an
interpretation were correct, it would
simply mean that a Japanese immi-
grant could enjoy privileges to which
any other subject was not entitled, in
which event it would be well to cancel
the treaty.
Mr. Borden was very neatly tripped
up, and he hurriedly took occasion to
explain that under the British North
America Act the federal government's
powers regarding immigration were
very complete.

The view of the Premier was briefly
expressed thus:
"According to international law I
think no treaty prevents one of the
contracting parties from exercising the
power vested in it to pass municipal
regulations necessary for its own pro-
tection. For instance, though we have
a treaty here, I am quite sure we can
exclude a Japanese who is mentally or
physically diseased, and if we can do
that, we have power to do by legislation
all that is necessary to carry out the
provision of municipal law, and that
is what we intend to do."

It was during this discussion that
Hon. R. Lemieux made a gratifying
announcement in reply to some obser-
vations by Mr. McCarthy of Calgary.
He said:
"Since the hon. member for Calgary (Mr.
McCarthy) has referred again to the
number of Japanese who wish to settle
near Calgary as agriculturists, I may
say in order to show that the Japanese
authorities are living up to their agree-
ment with Canada, that a few days ago
the Canadian Pacific Railway company
applied to the Dominion government
in order to ascertain if they were al-
lowed to enter the Dominion. The Canadian Pacific Rail-
way authorities pointed out that the
Japanese government would not ob-
ject to issuing passports to the intend-
ing Japanese immigrants, but the Jap-
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—The drowning of a young Indian boy at the south entrance of Active Pass on Thursday night last is reported. The lad was out in a canoe at the time with his father. The boat capsized and both were thrown into the water, the boy being swept away before his father could reach him. The father, who reached the shore in safety, spent the night on the cliffs, and was taken to Mayne Island at 5 a.m. on Friday morning. The body of the boy was recovered after a search, in 20 fathoms of water.

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Proves Futile.

At the regular fortnightly meeting of the South Saanich council held on Saturday night the question of the establishment of a public abattoir was brought before the councillors by Councillor Dunn, who moved a resolution that the city of Victoria and the municipality of Oak Bay be asked to appoint committees to confer with a committee of the council of South Saanich on the subject, with the object of discussing the idea and to have the matter dealt with in all its bearings and secure the necessary data for the carrying out of the scheme.

The councillors are all of the opinion that the establishment of a public abattoir is necessary. On the discussion which preceded the passage of the resolution, the mover of the resolution, Councillor Dunn, drew attention to the new building being erected in the municipality by Mould and McFadden, butchers, who a month ago were refused permission by the council for the erection of a slaughter house in the municipality, but have since that time gone ahead with their preparations to such an extent that the slaughter house is now practically completed. He said the building would soon be ready for business but that as far as was known there had been no slaughtering carried on there as yet. It was claimed that at the present time there are three slaughter houses within the boundaries of the municipality, and Councillor Dunn claims that not one of them are built according to the regulations of the South Saanich council as provided in the municipality's by-law which is framed under the Municipal Clauses Act. The building being constructed by Mould & McFadden is the fourth in the municipality and the consensus of opinion of the councillors is that sooner or later there will be an action brought under the by-law, when that measure will be tested, as the council claims that all the slaughter houses in the municipality are operated

contrary to the provisions of the Municipal Clauses Act. Councillor Dunn said that the greater portion of the cattle being slaughtered in that vicinity and that the matter should be taken up at once.

He said, when the time comes for the owners of the slaughter-houses to move from the municipality they will ask where they are to go to when the order of removal is served upon them. He considered that from a sanitary standpoint a public abattoir was a necessity to the two municipalities and the city. He was not prepared to say what steps were necessary to bring about the change but considered the matter should be gone into and the change be brought about here as it had been in other places where it had been found to be a great success. He felt that all the butchers engaged in the trade would welcome the proposed arrangement.

Councillor Nicholson, who was in sympathy with the proposal, objected to South Saanich being chosen as the place for the establishment of the abattoirs. He thought they should be erected elsewhere, and in this contention he was agreed with by the mover of the motion, Councillor Dunn. It was, however, too early to form any idea of the outcome of the proposal, and the question of where if the plant would be established, was left over, to be taken up at the conference with the other committees if such a conference was brought about.

Reeve Quick held that there was at the present time, considerable discussion and that meat was now being sold from which the diseased portions had been cut away. He also said that meat from the slaughter houses is being used for the pig food in direct violation of the regulations. This state of affairs could be done away with by the establishment of a public abattoir where meat would be slaughtered under the supervision of a competent inspector, and inspected by him, so that all diseased carcasses would be rejected and never reach the retail markets for sale. With the state of affairs existing at present, the offer would be provided and the residue disposed of in a proper manner.

The motion as proposed by Councillor Dunn was carried. Councillor Dunn then brought forward a proposal to tax all dogs within the municipality. He contended there was a large number of dogs wandering in the municipality, causing considerable damage to sheep. He proposed a dollar tax on each dog, and upon refusal to pay, the owner to be prosecuted, or the dog destroyed. The proposal received no support from the remainder of the members of the council and after listening to Councillor Dunn's arguments in its favour, the matter was eventually laid over to the suggestion of Councillor Nicholson, for six months.

Road Superintendent Pim's salary, which at the present time is ninety dollars per month, again came up for discussion. At the previous meeting the road superintendent applied in writing to the council for an increase of ten dollars per month, owing to the necessity of having to maintain a horse and rig to conduct the business of the council. After a long and heated discussion the increase was carried by four votes to three. On Saturday night last Councillor Halden, who had voted against the increase, made an attempt to re-open the question, when the minutes of the last meeting were read, by moving that the record be erased and the original motion as put by Councillor Nicholson that no increase be granted be adopted. A vote taken on the matter resulted in the resolution remaining as ordered at the last meeting and the increase being granted. The voting on the motion was the same as that at the previous meeting.

Councillor Pointer suggested that a provision be made whereby a taxpayer might, within a period of say two months after the expiration of the time limit by which they receive a rebate of one-sixth of their taxes, be granted a reduction of one-twentieth. He said there were taxpayers who could not take advantage of the one-sixth rebate, who nevertheless paid their taxes shortly after, and he thought they should receive some slight consideration. The matter was allowed to stand over.

The final passage of the new liquor

by-law was agreed upon, and the constable is to be instructed to see that the provisions of the measure are enforced.

At a cost of \$1,575, of which a deposit of \$1,000 has been paid, the engine supplied to the council by the Musson, Limited, Vancouver, to run the rock crusher, the councillors consider they have made an unsatisfactory bargain and decided to notify the firm that the engine is not up to specifications and request them to remove it and refund the amount deposited.

The engine has proved unsatisfactory to the council. At the suggestion of the Vancouver people an expert was brought from Seattle at a cost of \$7 per day to test the engine. The council now claims that the trial was a farce and that the expert, who checked the engine in his demonstration, William Graham, an independent engineer, who gave a report on the working of the engine at the trial, says that it takes too long to get the engine running, and that then it does not run steadily, and that the power is not equal. The council expressed the opinion that the expert who was sent by the firm to test the engine was not what he claimed to be and knew little or nothing of the working of engines.

The council accepted the tender from Hickman-Tye Hardware Company, of \$202 for a Holman rock drill, complete. The Victoria Phoenix Breeding Company wrote, asking for a reduction of the annual \$50 tax the council has levied as a pedlar's license. It was decided that no reduction could be made. Applications from W. H. Catterall to be allowed to drain water from his house on Wilson street, and from John F. Dixon, who wished to drain water from a tile drain on Cuddehul street, were referred to the sanitary officer for report. John F. Brooks wrote, saying that he declined to allow a portion of his property to be taken for a roadway. He suggested that the road should be put on the land already gazetted. The letter was received and filed.

R. Holmes applied to the council for a sidewalk on a portion of Tottle avenue. The application will not be considered until the estimates have been completed.

The council accepted a recommendation of the road superintendent that a sidewalk be laid on Tottle avenue at a cost of \$55. The offer of W. Campbell to allow the council to make connection with his flowing well, so that a horse trough could be put in, which will cost about \$30, was accepted.

THE BRITISH NATION

AND HOUSE OF ISRAEL

Interesting Paper Read Before

Meeting Held in the

City.

The following is the outline of the paper recently read before the British Israel class. The speaker handed round for inspection an elaborate set of maps drawn by George Desha Wilson some four years ago, which may be seen in outline in Alexander Keith's "The Land of Israel" (New York, Harper, 1835). They are worked out to scale from Ezekiel's last eight chapters, specially 47 and 48, which closes with the words: "The name of the city from this point out the parallel promise in Jer. 2, 17, and Zech. 14, 9, with many others, remarking thereon that "God, the Divine Architect worked in the affairs of nations, as in that of individuals to a precise plan, in the lay out of which His ancient people, Israel, was considered from the outset." In proof of this he quoted Deut. 32, 8, contending that Paul, virtually, repeated the same to the philosophers at Athens. (Acts 17: 26, 21.) In proof that the nation of Israel was not set aside during the Christian dispensation, but retained as "witnesses" (Isa. 27, 6 and 4; 4 and 43; 4, 8-12) against the idolatrous practices of the surrounding nations, with more success than in the dispensation of the broken covenant, he quoted the Messiah's words to the apostles, "Ye shall not have gone over the cities of Israel until the son of man be come;" words, he said, that could be by no ingenuity of evagists be made to mean "churches." This had been exemplified in the success of the British apostolic community, the Cultives, in the earliest days, and the great evangelical movements, and the Bible societies' assistance of the 19th century; all of which is 90 per cent, at least peculiarly British and American. In connection with the maps he pointed out that in recent lectures it had been demonstrated that the nations of Europe were watching for the trodden down land to fall from the hand of the dying Turk in order to possess and colonize it themselves. In this Britain, as Israel, will outwit them, having all the "strategic" positions, "gates" promised "to Abraham and his seed forever"—commanding the same, already in possession. This will form British Israel's last colony and will be the Imperial headquarters of the government of the whole earth when Messiah returns. The viceregal government being already allotted to the twelve apostles (Matt 19: 28), with "Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and all the holy dead, risen"—"a multitudinous seed"—for subjects. A distinctly Isra-

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British economy, shraed in, however, by "whosoever will" of all the foreign nations, the rulers of which are called upon to "serve Him." (Dan. 7: 27, and Rev. 19: 12, 15, and Zeph. 3: 8, 9. "What we shall do in the millennial Reign of Righteousness" was set forth in a multitude of scripture quotations, notably Isa. 65, with Rev. 21: 1-4, Zech. 2nd, 8th, and 14th chapters, with those of Ezekiel quoted and illustrated by the maps. The context, "The New Heaven and the New Earth" being retained in every case, in order to make an intelligent prophetic picture, preface of the future state of blessedness, of which the speaker contended, the pagan "golden age" was but a parody, probably stolen from the earlier patriarchal "faith" of "the fathers," as set forth in Heb. 11th and Acts 2: 6. Some of the details read as follows: Messiah's reign (Psalm 72). His throne and priesthood in His new temple (Isa. 63: 1-3; 11: 4; Jer. 3: 17; Hag. 2: 7, 9; Ezek. 43: 4, 7, 17). In His own city—as above—the gates of which will be named after the twelve apostles—as never before—(Rev. 21: 12, and Ezek. 48: 31). The inhabitants having "entered into their rest," or "sabbatimes," which constitutes the consummation of the "promises to Abraham and his seed," "shall build houses, and inhabit them," plant vineyards and eat the fruit thereof, "maidens go forth to the dance in sinless purity," Satan being bound and the curse removed, "old men and maidens, young men and children," praising "the name of the Lord," in full realization that involves the use of sanctified labor such "His name only is excellent." All this as was enjoined upon Adam before the curse marred "the great design" in Edenic blessedness; which Ezekiel says is to be blessedly restored, the very "heaven round about" being God's witnesses to that effect. (Ezek. 36: 34-36; Rev. 22: 3.)

The incidents leading up to this "restoration of all things" will be dealt with from Daniel and Revelations, in the last two lectures of the season, on Tuesday evenings of this week and next.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.
Dates Given for Appointments of Members of the Government Staff.
The following notices appear in the last issue of the British Columbia Gazette:

The appointment of John Andrew Anderson, B.A., as clerk in the public service, shall date from May 29th, 1885.
William Upton Runnalls, as clerk in the public service, from April 21st, 1902.
Francis Kermode, to be assistant curator, from September 29th, 1890, and curator of the provincial museum, from February 29th, 1904.
Ernest Melville Anderson, of Victoria, to be general assistant, from April 1st, 1886, and assistant curator of the provincial museum, from February 29th, 1904.

Arthur Manson, of Victoria, to be engineer in the provincial government buildings, from February 9th, 1889.
Elmer Jensen, to be provincial police constable at Elnoh, from April 10th, 1908.
Frederick L. Leighton, of the city of Nanaimo, to be official administrator for the county of Nanaimo from April 1st, 1908, in the place of Joseph A. MacAloney, deceased.
John A. Irving, John A. Kirkpatrick and Harry Wright, J. P., of Nelson,

to be members of the board of directors of the Kootenay Lake General hospital for the year 1908.
Maria Fillmore to be matron for the Public Hospital for the Insane at New Westminster. Such appointment to date from July 1st, 1908.
James Clint, of the city of Vancouver, to be a clerk in the office of the provincial assessor at Vancouver from March 15th, 1907.
E. B. Harris, of Penticton, Okanagan district, to be a registrar for the purpose of the Marriage Act.
John R. C. Deane to be a provincial police constable at Hazelton, from April 15th, 1908.

David Spragg Tait, of the city of Victoria, barrister-at-law, to be a notary public in and for the province of British Columbia.
Lottie Mabel Bowron, of Victoria, to be a clerk in the office of the premier. Such appointment to date from March 15th, 1904.

James E. Kirby, of Hazelton, to be mining recorder for the Okinaka mining division, from April 30th, 1908, in the place of F. W. Velleau.

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PERSONAL
W. B. Lanigan, assistant freight traffic manager of the C. P. R., arrived here on Saturday night from Vancouver with F. W. Peters, assistant to William Whyte, second vice-president. They are at the Empress, where they will remain for a few days on business of the company.

W. P. McPhee, of Courtenay, Comox district, came to town Saturday and is spending a few days here, with headquarters at the King Edward.

Principal and Mrs. J. F. Salloway, accompanied by their youngest daughter, Ethel, are spending the Easter week in Vancouver.

R. Daveson has returned from his ranch after a two weeks' vacation there, and has taken up his quarters at the Dominion.

John Tasey, of Vancouver, who is installing the hot water heating apparatus in Victoria West school, came over last night.

G. Hicks, of the firm of Hicks & Lovick, has gone to the Okanagan valley. He will be absent for about three weeks.

Leonard Tait, who went over to Vancouver with the North Ward junior soccer team, returned home last evening.

J. Bernard Moore and Miss Moore are staying on a short vacation at the King Edward.

J. S. McAllister and Mrs. McAllister, who are on a bridal tour, are registered at the Dominion from Seattle.

H. P. Bullen, of the B. C. Marine Railway, returned from Vancouver on the Princess Royal last night.

H. O. Crew, a young surveyor of Selby Glasgow, who has come here to settle, is at the Dominion.

Mrs. James Forman is visiting in Vancouver.

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